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CHANGES COMING.

Some Political Surprises Are in Store for Oakland.

TWO NEW ORGANIZATIONS.

"Patriots of America" Who Will Include Five Parties.

"REGULAR REPUBLICANS."

The Banner Organization of the Seventh Ward to Meet.

The following is in circulation:
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Name of Lodge Pioneer,
Postoffice Address,
Oakland, California.
State of California, } ss.
County of Alameda, }
We the following
1 A. Bretz, editor, Populist.
2 H. S. Aldrich, attorney-at-law, Republican.
3 Henry P. Dalton, assessor, Non-Partisan.
4 F. W. Sawyer, attorney-at-law, Prohibition.
5 Eugene Hough, painter, Socialist.
Do hereby solemnly affirm that we will support the constitution of the Order of the Patriots of America; that we desire in good faith to obtain a charter for a lodge to be organized by us under said constitution at Oakland in said County and State, t obe known as Pioneer Lodge, No. 1, of the Patriots of America, that we will treat in confidence the rules and ritual of said order and communicate the same only to members of this order.
In testimony whereof we have hereunto affixed our signatures.
A. BRETZ,
H. S. ALDRICH,
HENRY P. DALTON,
F. W. SAWYER,
EUGENE HOUGH.
Subscribed to in my presence and sworn to before me this, the ..... day of ..... 189..
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Name of Officer.
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Offic al Designation.

REGULAR REPUBLICANS.

A New Political Organization Is Starting in West Oakland.

Some startling political changes appear to be shaping themselves in Oakland. The following letter has been in circulation for some days past, and it has been read with interest in political circles:

The undersigned citizens and voters in the city of Oakland hereby associate ourselves together under the name of the Regular Republican club of the First ward of the city of Oakland.

Believing that the highest interests of the people and of the Republican party are involved in the approaching election of 1896, and that to successfully conserve those interests, the Republican party should be independent of and free from all control by monopolies rings and bosses, and absolutely in the control of the people, at the primaries and conventions ,we hereby pledge ourselves to promote clean and honorable politics, to the end that the Republican voters of the city of Oakland and Alameda county shall have and hold forever in their own hands, free from boss rule, the management of all matters pertaining to the political interests of the people and the Republican party.

RULES FOR ORGANIZING.

First—The selection of permanent officers shall take place when the membership of the club is fifty.

Second—After a permanent organization is effected, precinct committees may be elected at a regular meeting, but not otherwise. An executive committee may also be elected, but in no case shall any permanent committee be elected, except it be by a vote of the club at a regular meeting. The chair shall appoint

Third—The precinct committee shall be severally selected by the members of the club from such precinct, and reported to the club for confirmation, on which confirmation shall be a vote of the club.

Name.	Residence.
Dalton	First
Sands	Second
H. Walker	Third
Fowler	Fourth
Buckland	Fifth
Dow	Seventh

J. M. Havens, president.
F. Jackson, secretary.
Laidlaw
Dr. Fall.
Aldrich.

THE SEVENTH WARD.

The Banner Republican Body Is Called to Conference

Political lines in the Seventh ward have suddenly assumed an interesting aspect, and it is said that if the movement now on foot, originated by an aspirant for political office, is successful, much ill-feeling will result.

Those interested in seeing harmony prevail in Republican ranks in East Oakland are taking considerable interest in the meeting called for the organization of a Republican Club at Judge Lawrence's office Friday night.

For several years the Seventh ward has had strong organization and the Seventh Ward Republican Club, of which Geo. C Pardee is president, and Frank Jordan is secretary, has wielded a large influence through the active endeavors of its 300 members. Influential members of this club claim that the call issued for the organization of another club is ill advised and bad policy, and several go so far as to say that it is simply to advance the claims of one aspiring to the State Senatorship. They say that it is too early to consider the question of selection of candidates for this important office, and that all that is necessary at present is to perfect the plans of the present strong Republican organization by having a meeting of the Seventh Ward Republican Club held, new officers elected, new and efficient committees appointed and active preparations made for the coming National and State campaign. To this end a call has been issued and sent to all members of the Seventh Ward Club to meet Friday night at 8 o'clock, at Judge Lawrence's courtroom, and at this meeting the new officers will be elected and proper steps taken looking to active political work.

The prevailing opinion is that the Seventh Ward Republican Club should be continued as the representative political body of the ward and that no other club should be organized, and that when the proper time arrives to consider the claims of the different candidates, the club can in a manner satisfactory to all decide as to whom to support as the choice of the Seventh ward.

Incidentally it has cropped out that Assemblyman Dodge is going to make a fight for the Senatorship and that he will have as a prominent opponent Fred S. Stratton. Both have many friends. Stratton in the Seventh has a strong following, owing to the fact that his boyhood days were spent in East Oakland and naturally Seventh warders feel favorably disposed to one who has achieved so much success as he has. Still the matter of preference will depend on the influence exercised by the members of the Seventh Ward Club The meeting, therefore, Friday will be a most interesting one and a large attendance and interesting proceedings are anticipated. In fact, it will be the first really important meeting of this most interesting political year.

THE SECOND WARD.

The Republican Campaign Club to Meet Tomorrow Evening.

Permanent organization of the Second Ward Republican Campaign Club is to be effected at Milton Hall Twenty-eighth street and San Pablo avenue, tomorrow evening. The meeting is to commence at half-past 8.

At the gathering last week thirty-five or forty electors being present, F. R. Porter was chosen president, and John N. Bonham secretary. Business at Thursday night's assembly will comprise a number of matters.

A full board of officers is to be named and an executive committee will be selected. There will be debate and probable action on the proposition to form the Oakland Republican Club with delegates five or more, from the various ward clubs. The move to capture the Republican State Convention for Oakland is to be a topic of discussion.

The Republicans of the Second ward are all to be solicited to join the club, and a canvassing committee may be appointed tomorrow evening.

POPULISTS CLASH.

A Struggle for the Right to Organize in the Seventh Ward.

There is trouble among the Populists in the Seventh ward Two factions representing different portions of the ward are fighting for organization. Two clubs are in formative state, one at Thirteenth avenue and the other at Twenty-third avenue. Each is gathering adherents as rapidly as possible, and proposes to make a hard fight for recognition at the hands of the county committee. During the last campaign both clubs were allowed delegates, but it is believed but one will be accredited this year.

A SHIP ASHORE.

A British Bark in a Very Bad Way Near Port Townsend.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
PORT TOWNSEND, Feb. 4—The British ship Kilbrannan from Callao went ashore on Point Wilson near Port Townsend at 3 o'clock and will probably be a total loss.

She came up the straits before a strong northwest wind and struck near the light house, all sails going by the board.

The ship went over on her starboard beam, the seas breaking clear over her.

An attempt was made to launch two boats, but they were carried away.

Tugs were sent out but could render no assistance.

BREAKING FOR BLACKBURN

Exciting Scenes Are Witnessed in the Kentucky Legislature.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 5.—Today's ballot for Senator resulted: Hunter 66, Blackburn 63, Carlisle 3, McCreary 2, Bate 1

Senator Hayward caused the first break in the anti-Blackburn column by voting for Blackburn.

Senator Holloway followed up the break by voting for Blackburn.

Both votes were wildly cheered.

A TANK ON FIRE.

An Afternoon Blaze at the Alameda Oil Works.

Special to The Tribune.
ALAMEDA, Feb 5—An oil tank at the Alameda Oil Works took fire at 3.15 o'clock this afternoon.

It was soon extinguished.

Little damage was done.

A Victory for Monopoly.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
LONDON, Feb. 5.—The Press Association announces that the Scotch oil combine has completely dissolved, with heavy losses to investors, and the Standard Oil Company is again master of the situation.

Reduced Again.
Another reduction in Coos Bay coal. Now delivered at $7 per ton.

Use Adam's Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum.

A RIVER OF GOLD.

Splendid Bids Received for the New Bond Issue.

THE COUNTRY'S ALL RIGHT.

Over $550,000,000 Offered to Relieve the Strain.

PREMIUMS RANGE TO 119.

The Pacific Coast Represented by a Good Offer.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5—The Secretary of the Treasury today opened bids for the purchase of $100,000,000 United States four per cent thirty year bonds received under his call dated January 6th last.

The bonds, redeemable in coin, will be issued in denominations of $50 or multiples of that sum, as desired by the bidders.

At 9 o'clock this morning the clerk in the loans and currency division began opening and scheduling the bids.

The clerks were not allowed to leave the room until the time for receiving the bids closed, so that by no chance could any information regarding the bids be prematurely disclosed.

The bids were announced from the schedule already prepared in the Secretary's office, where a large number of bidders and representatives of the press gathered.

The interest manifested today at the treasury department in the opening of the bids for the present loan far exceeded that attending either of the others.

As early as 5:30 o'clock many prominent capitalists from New York and other Eastern cities began to put in an appearance at the treasury.

All the morning bond bids came in rapidly, swelling the already long string of bidders.

Every mail brought a list of bond bids and at 11 o'clock the expectations of the treasury officials were rising and predictions were made freely that the loan was largely over subscribed and the bonds would bring a good price.

At 11 30 a large crowd assembled about the Secretary's door and was allowed to enter and all available space was soon occupied.

The opening and scheduling of the bids was conducted under the direction of Assistant Secretary Curtis by a committee consisting of United States Treasurer Morgan, Comptroller of Currency Eckels, and Mr. Huntington, chief of the division of loans and currency.

Secretary Carlisle entered at 12 o'clock. The room was so densely crowded that it was with much difficulty he could make his way to a seat

LOTS OF THEM

12:15 P M.—Mr. Eckels of the committee, announced that up to this time there had been received 3 707 bids aggregating $380,232,500 ranging in price from par to $1.19, and a fraction.

Other bids not yet opened would probably raise the number to 4,500, aggregating $75,000 000 more.

The big syndicate bids were not received until this morning and the result was that it was impossible at 1 o'clock to give the amounts or process the force of the treasury clerks being swamped in the work of tabulating the vast number of bids received prior to today.

These earlier bidders, with the exception of Robert E Glendenning, Philadelphia, $500,000 at $112.75, and Albert L. Judson, $500 000 at $113 75, all bid for amounts below half a million, ranging from $5 to about $300,000.

Joseph Pulitzer bid for $1,000,000 at $114 In a note accompanying the bid, Pulitzer says: "This bid, at the highest market of today, is in lieu of the offer of the New York World to head the list with a subscription to a popular loan on a basis, which was not adopted, of open subscription at a fixed and equal rate."

J. Pierpont Morgan, Harvey Fisk & Son, and the Deutcher Bank of Berlin, as a syndicate, bid for $100,000,000 at $110.6878

Up to 1.40 4,640 bids for $684,269,850 had been opened.

Mr Eckels announced that the bid for $100,000,000 from a doctor in Michigan and $16,000,000 from one in Texas were regarded as bogus and the total of $684,269,850 should be reduced by the amount of these.

The Bank of California, San Francisco, bid $112.78 for $100,000.

The total (corrected) number of bids received for the new loan is 4,640, aggregating $558,569,850.

Secretary Carlisle was greatly pleased at the brilliantly conspicuous success of the loan and said it showed what the people of this country would do when appealed to. He thought the effect abroad would be very marked in our favor.

THE TRUST COMPANY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—President John A. Stewart of the United States Trust Co., says "Our bids for government bonds were for $76,000,000 at a fixed price of $110 75 which nets about 3⅝% and an additional $10,000,000 at a lower figure. He says he has received reliable information from Washington that no bids below $111 will be accepted."

A STEAMER STRANDED.

A British Boat From the Mediterranean in Trouble.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
FIRE ISLAND, Feb. 5—The Lone Hill life saving station reports a steamer ashore between Blue Point and Beelport.

Life savers have gone out.

Captain O'Rourke of the Blue Point life saving station says the steamer ashore is the British steamer Lamington, Captain Duff, from Mediterranean ports for New York, with a cargo of fruit.

The point where the Lamington went ashore is fifteen miles east of Fire Island.

They are landing the crew in a breeches buoy.

The vessel is in an easy position, making no water.

A dispatch from Fire Island says all the crew of the stranded steamer Lamington were safely landed

Dyspepsia cured by using Adam's Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum after each meal.

Death of Editor Smith.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
CHICAGO, Feb 5—After an illness of nearly a month, Dr. Justin A. Smith, editor of the Standard, died last evening. Dr. Smith was 76 years old, and almost two-thirds of his life served as editor of a leading Baptist denominational paper in the West.

A Bank Assigns.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
CONNORSVILLE, Ind, Feb. 5.—The Citizens' Bank, owned by ex-United States Treasurer Husten, assigned this morning. It is stated all deposits will be paid in full.

Bear Is in Mourning.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—Lady Jane Francesca Spernsa Wilde, widow of Sir William Robert. Wilde, M. D, surgeon oculist to her majesty, in Ireland, and mother of Oscar Wilde, is dead.

A Catholic Dignitary.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
ROME, Feb. 5.—Rev. Father Hoban has been appointed Bishop of Scranton, Pa.

ROYALTY IN MOURNING.

Battenberg's Funeral Attended by a Notable Concourse.

A Guard of Honor Formed by Naval Brigades From the Fleet.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
COWES, Isle of Wight, Feb. 5.—Business all over the Isle of Wight was practically suspended today and the inhabitants flocked to this city to pay a last tribute to Prince Henry of Battenburg, husband of Princess Beatrice, who died Jan. 20th on his way from Cape Coast Castle to Madeira.

Marines and blue jackets were landed to take part in the procession.

About 10 o'clock the Duke of Connaught and Duchess of Albany, and later the Princess Beatrice, her children and the Princess Louise, drove from Osborne House to Cowes and embarked on the Alberta. There the children placed a handsome wreath on the coffin.

After the religious ceremonies the funeral cortege proceeded to Whippingham church.

The route from Trinity pier was lined with guards from the fleet, behind which thronged sight-seers and sympathizers.

Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, George J. Goschen, First Lord of the Admiralty, A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury, and Viscount Cross, Lord of the Privy Seal, were present

The Marquis of Salisbury and other Ministers at the same hour were attending a special funeral service in honor of the late Prince Henry in Westminster Abbey.

HE IS FOR VENEZUELA.

Henry M. Stanley Speaks on the Big Boundary Broil.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, now a member of the British Parliament, has written a letter to Mayor J. B. Pond of this city touching the Venezuela question. In the course of it he says:

"Now, on this Venezuela subject I am entirely on the side of America, but I must admit that I am not surprised that the English papers backed up Salisbury and differ from me.

Taught by the virulent remarks of your journals, I had, of course, devoted much time to understanding it, whereas English editors are exceedingly ill-informed.

"Then there are two or three injudicious remarks in Olney's dispatch which puts British backs up, but after reflection it is wonderful how many have come round to my opinion that whatever the transgressions of Olney there is a great deal of justice in the American demand.

"I feel quite sure now that so much is admitted it will not be long before the opinion becomes general that we were in the wrong in refusing arbitration, while the more I think of Olney, I think that Olney could scarcely have written otherwise than he did.

"I argue that had he contented himself with the usual suave tone of diplomacy he would not have succeeded in rousing the attention of the nation to the necessity of settlement. His dispatch would have lain quietly buried in the archives of the foreign office, whereas every Englishman knows sufficiently of the subject to distinguish right from wrong, and while there is still a majority who take the dispatch to be an effront to British dignity, there is a minority increasing in numbers who think that British honor would be best consulted by considering the justice done to Venezuela and that British interests would be promoted by acquiescing with the American demand."

Morrison on Silver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—William R. Morrison, the inter-State Commerce Commissioner denies the report that he sent the Illinois Democratic leaders word that the free silver idea must be abandoned or he would refuse to be a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination.

RIGHTS FOR REBELS.

The Cuban Cause Is Reported Today to the Senate.

A HARD ONE FOR SPAIN.

Call Will Push the Matter Through Without Delay.

PRIZE-FIGHTERS DEFEATED.

The House Puts a Clincher on the Coming Fistic Festival.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
WASHINGTON, Feb 5—The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations today agreed upon a substitute for a resolution heretofore reported on the question of the recognition of Cuba, and authorized Senator Morgan to report it to the Senate. It is:

"Resolved, By the Senate, and the House of Representatives concurring, that in the opinion of Congress a condition of war exists between the government of Spain and the government proclaimed and for some time maintained by force of arms of the people of Cuba, and that the people of the United States of America should maintain a strict neutrality between the contending powers and accord each all the rights of belligerents in the ports and territory of the United States."

The committee also voted to make an effort to take up the Cuban question in the Senate as soon as the urgent deficiency bill and a resolution of distribution for the appropriation bills can be disposed of.

THE SENATE.

Hansbrough's Resolution Knuts Off the Quay Move.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—When the Senate convened today there was a full representation of Senators, and the galleries were also well filled in anticipation of debate and possibly a vote on Quay's motion to recommit the tariff silver bill with instructions.

Morgan (Ala.) from the committee on foreign relations reported the Cuban belligerency resoution, saying it met with his full approval.

Call (Fla) gave notice he would call up the resolution as soon as he could secure the attention of the Senate.

At 12.40 Quay's motion to recommit the free coinage substitute for the tariff bill was laid before the Senate.

It was found that the prior resolution of Hansbrough, directing the Secretary of Agriculture to execute the law as to seeds distribution, had precedence

After some discussion it was agreed that if the seed resolution could be disposed of before 2 o'clock, Quay's resolution would be taken up. If not, the Quay resolution will come up tomorrow.

Shortly after 2 o'clock Senator Vest concluded on Hansbrough's seed resolution, and without action on it the resolution for distributing appropriation bills among the various committees was taken up.

THE HOUSE.

A Bill to Prevent the Prize-Fight Festival at El Paso.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5—In the House today, Delegate Catron of New Mexico introduced a bill to prevent the pugilistic festival from taking place near El Paso

The bill makes fighting a misdemeanor, punishable by imprisonment not less than five years.

Catron asked for unanimous consent for consideration but Knox, Republican, of Massachusetts, objected and the bill was referred.

The District of Columbia appropriation on which a fight has been made over charitable appropriations, was defeated today by a vote of yeas 145 to 143 nays.

The House has passed an anti-prize fighting bill without division.

At 3 o'clock the House went into Committee of the Whole for consideration of the Senate substitute for the House bond bill.

PLENTY OF READY CASH.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
ST. LOUIS, February 5.—The Republic this morning says that a new line from St. Louis to the Southwest is likely to be the result of the contemplated separation of the 'Frisco from the Santa Fe system

E. H. R. Green, president of the Texas Midland, and son of the well-known Hetty Green, was in the city yesterday and had a conference with Major Morrill of the 'Frisco and other prominent railroad men.

He said to the 'Frisco people that in the event of the separation of that road from the Santa Fe system he was prepared to use his own money and his mother's in the construction of certain branch and auxiliary lines which would give St. Louis an entrance into Central Texas by a route many miles shorter than that which it now enjoys

From St. Louis to Paris, Texas, the 'Frisco runs on a line which is more direct than any other route.

From Paris to Greenville there is a gap that President Green proposes to fill

From Greenville to Ennis the Texas Midland is already in operation and between Ennis and Waco there is also a gap of sixty-five miles which President Green is ready to build upon receipt of notice that the 'Frisco will begin to operate its road upon an independent basis.

To Dallas from Quinlan, a point on the Texas Midland, there is only an unfilled space of something like sixty-two miles and this will be built by Mr. Green and the people whom he represents.

Between Dallas and Fort Worth there is only a little gap to be filled to make the new line complete.

THE STATE WILL SETTLE.

Menzenmeyer's Attempts to Beat the Game Are Thwarted.

The Necessary Evidence Will at Once Start for the North.

Whether or not Sheriff White will send to Victoria now for Albert Menzenmeyer depends entirely upon the action of Governor Budd. The announcement of Chief of Police Shepherd of that city that the officer who goes with the requisition papers will also have to produce witnesses and be prepared to fight for the fugitive's transfer into their custody has rather upset the calculations of the local officers. They see no way for the county to meet the heavy cost It is estimated that fully $1000 will be necessary to cover all the expenses. Witnesses will have to be paid mileage, and the attorneys of Victoria have a reputation of not laboring from motives of glory and no consequent gain. They would probably charge a round, fat fee for their services.

Besides, Sheriff White has been notified through the District Attorney's office that the expense is not a legal charge necessary to be borne by the State. The only salvation now is to procure the necessary authorization of expenditure from Governor Budd, who is empowered to allow certain expense for extraordinary purposes Whether he will deem the present exigency one that should be met is a question for which the local officers are seeking an answer at his hands.

Sheriff White has also learned that Menzenmeyer is making preparations for a battle. He has refused to return without extradition. His wife has written to him and has said she proposes to go to Victoria at once and assist her husband in his efforts to secure his freedom before the officers from here have an opportunity to press their claim to him as a fugitive Altogether the prospect is not very brilliant for a successful coup.

ALL SETTLED.

This afternoon Attorney Fitzgerald notified District Attorney Snook that the State will pay the bill. Al White will probably leave tonight for the scene.

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COURT CALENDAR.

THURSDAY, February 6, 1896.
Department 1, Judge Hickman—Marshall vs. Anderson.
Department 2, Judge Ogden—Wettstein vs. Southern Pacific Company; H. E. Decker vs. his creditors; Mann vs. Hart; Souza vs. Tierney.
Department 3, Judge Ellsworth—Reserved.
Department 4, Judge Greene—People vs. Henry Wilkinson.

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Donald Campbell, San Francisco...31
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Pauline P. Brooks, San Francisco...21
Ed. W. Littlejohn San Francisco.....27
Fannie Wilson, San Francisco.....21

The Wheat Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5—Wheat—Quiet Dec. $1.17; May $1.17¾.
Barley—Steady; May 72½c, Feb. 70½c.
CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Wheat: Feb 65⅝c; May 67⅝c.
Oats—Feb. 19⅝@19½c; May 21¼c bid.

All Right.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
PORT TOWNSEND, Feb. 5.—The British steamer Argenberod from Japan arrived this morning. She is long overdue and great fears have been expressed for her safety.

The Prescription Clerk
Has to keep his wits about him to remember a thousand and one things; must be error proof, careful and painstaking. If he does not possess all these virtues and numerous others, he has missed his vocation. And this is as it should be, as he often balances
Life and Death
in his hands. None but competent pharmacists are allowed to prepare prescriptions for us. Then as we use only the highest grade of drugs we feel justified in soliciting your patronage.
BOWMAN & CO., Druggists Cor. Ninth and Broadway.

DOCTORS DISAGREE.

Expert Testimony That There Is No Railroad Spine.

A CONFLICT OF IDEAS.

Dr. Shiels Takes the Stand in the Wettstein Suit.

A NEW TURN IS TAKEN.

The Railroad Company Gives Its Side of the Case.

The case of Wettstein against the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, in which the plaintiff is suing for $20,000 damages, was resumed before Judge Ogden this morning. There was present a large number of spectators in the lobby, while within the bar there were Drs. Shiels, Laine, Barber, Fisher, Selfridge, Dunn, Crowley and Woolsey. Supt. A. D. Wilder was also an eager auditor.

The first witness was George E. Gaylord, who said that it is his duty to instruct gatemen on the Seventh street local train as to their duties. He said also that he had instructed Gateman Adams that he must allow no person to board the train after the train had got under motion and that nobody was to be allowed to get on the train without exhibiting transportation.

On cross-examination he said that he had not issued special instructions to gatemen to provide for their government in cases where people succeeded in getting on the lower steps of a platform after the train had got under way.

Dr. George Franklin Shiels of San Francisco, who has been the chief medical expert for the plaintiff, was then placed on the stand. He told of his having graduated from the medical university at Edinburgh, his connection with foreign medical societies, also with the University of California, and post-graduate courses of that institution in San Francisco.

He said that he had acted as a medical expert in a number of cases and that he is now acting in that capacity for the Southern Pacific Company, although he is not regularly in the employ of that corporation. Although testifying now for the Southern Pacific, next week he will be the leading medical expert in the case of Ireland against that company, in which $75,000 is involved.

He said that he had heard all the testimony given in the case by the physicians who had appeared for the plaintiff.

Mr. Moore then propounded a supposititious case, based upon the experience of Wettstein from the time, as alleged, he was pushed off the Seventh street cars. It was shown that after the accident Wettstein had walked through a number of the streets of the city hunting up his attorney; that he had employed an assistant for ten days in the saloon business and then discharged the assistant, since which time the plaintiff had done his own work; on examination of his person it was found as alleged that he was without bruise or blemish; as a consequence of his injuries the patient had not been obliged to remain in his home or bed. The Colonel's career was then recounted, all the facts being the same as were brought out in the cross-examination of the witnesses for the plaintiff.

The witness was then asked if he understood the question.

Dr. Shiels replied that he thought he did and that it was unnecessary to have it re-read by the reporter.

The plaintiff objected to the question on the ground that it did not state all the facts of the case.

The question was then amended so as to strike out the assertion that Wettstein had no assistant ten days after the accident.

Witness was then asked if he thought the injuries complained off were the result of the accident described. He replied that he did not think they were.

The doctor was then asked what would be the condition of a man who had sustained the injuries referred to by Dr. Woolsey.

"He would be almost deaf, blind, incapacitated for anything and would be a physical wreck," was the reply.

"What is your opinion as to the plaintiff's being a man well nourished or otherwise?"

"I would say that he is a well-nourished man."

"Have you ever seen, at home or abroad, a man who could present the appearance of Colonel Wettstein and have sustained, the injuries which Dr. Woolsey describes?"

"No, sir. Such a man would be a wreck. It would be absolutely impossible for him to be otherwise than a physical wreck."

The witness further declared that he did not believe in the theory of concussion of the spine which would bring about the symptoms complained.

Several diagrams of the human trunk and spinal column were then hung on the blackboard against the objection of the plaintiff.

Several points both on the cord and vertebrae were pointed out and the doctor was asked what he thought about the alleged injury, as testified to by the plaintiff, to the spinal cord under the fourth, third and second vertebrae.

"There could be no injury to the cord," was the reply, "because there is no spinal cord under those vertebrae."

The doctor then explained that lesion is a general term for injury, that gross lesion is such as may be seen by the eye, and microscopical lesion is such as requires a microscope to discover.

"Is there any such thing as railroad spine?"

"There is absolutely no such thing as railroad spine. A person may sustain an injury by a momentary jar, by stepping down unexpectedly, slipping off something, or being knocked out in a fight, but these are all mechanical injuries, without any special definition. There is no such thing as railroad spine."

The doctor then told how the spinal cord is protected from shocks. The cord, he said, is protected with what might be called three envelopes, and in addition there is a bony canal or tunnel. The cord is tied to this canal with delicate ligaments. Besides, it is surrounded by the cerebro spinal fluid. In front of the cord are blocks of bones, between which nature has put elastic discs, the effect of which is like rubber on a man's cane when he strikes the ground, preventing a jar. Besides there is protection between the spinous process ligaments behind and ligaments at the side of the body of the vertebrae—in a word the spinal cord is the most beautifully protected feature of the human body. The curvature in the spinal column is so arranged by nature that any shock is without injury except one of great violence.

AN OFFER TO EXPERT

The principal feature of the case yesterday afternoon was the offer of the counsel for the plaintiff, which attracted some attention. The offer was to submit the plaintiff to a physical examination by any number of physicians which the defendant might desire to appoint for that purpose, the plaintiff to have a representative present, and the examination to last one hour, or to be extended two hours if it could be done without fatiguing the patient. Counsel also offered to have the court appoint a disinterested medical expert, who had not figured on any side of the case, to come in and give testimony in the matter.

The offer was rejected by Mr. Moore, claiming that it was only a bluff on the part of the plaintiff.

A TEMPORARY OFFICER.

W. B. Smith Is Appointed to Fire Department Honors.

At the meeting of the Fire and Police Commissioners held yesterday afternoon, W. B. Smith was appointed temporarily to fill the position of first assistant chief. He is a candidate for the position, as is ex-Fire Warden Murdock and W. W. Hoag, but the Commissioners had not decided upon a permanent man, and as an assistant chief was necessary Smith was delegated to act until they can make their selection.

Chief Lloyd also jumped the Mayor in a communication. His requisitions, he says, are relegated to oblivion when they enter the Mayor's office for his signature. Lloyd wants an index book and a pawnshop record, both of which were allowed by the Board, but have since been lost in the office of the Mayor. "I make this last effort to rescue the same prior to calling upon the Council," he wrote. The communication was referred to the committee of the whole for discussion.

T. J. Crowley was appointed foreman of truck No. 1, vice Robt. Fleming and Z. G. Wheeler was given J. Cuddy's place as extra man of truck No. 3.

W. W. Hoag's petition for assistant engineer was filed.

Chief Fair was granted permission to employ a man for repairing work for three days at $3 a day.

Draw Crowded Houses.

Professor Alexander has the reputation of being the only lecturer in the phrenological field that has ever been able to draw crowded houses night after night for weeks in succession in the large and conservative cities of the East. He gives his first lecture here on Monday night at Hamilton Hall.

SHE WAS UNFAITHFUL.

James T. Gardener, Jr. Divorced From His Erring Wife.

James T. Gardiner Jr. was granted a divorce today from May C. Gardiner on the ground of adultery. The plaintiff is the son of the well-known Oakland grocer, James T. Gardiner. There are no property interests involved in the decree.

Stanley Is Better.

The surgeons in charge of Engineer James W. Stanley, who was injured in the collision between the Santa Cruz and Monterey trains last Saturday week, say that he is improving so rapidly that he will be able to leave his bed in about ten days. He will not, however, be strong enough to support his own weight without assistance.

The Wilmerding Site.

The work of raising money for the purpose of securing a site for the proposed Wilmerding school is progressing in a very satisfactorily manner. It has been announced that the Young Men's Institute of this city has agreed to raise $250 which it will donate to the fund.

Was It a "Razor?"

Henry Trimbling, a colored man with a police record, was taken into custody last night by Officer Woods at Seventh and Adeline, and charged with carrying a concealed weapon.

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Oakland was paid a handsome tribute today by Miss Laura Burt the charming soubrette who captured the coast in her impersonation of Madge Brierly, the mountain girl of "In Old Kentucky," the play that has had so successful a run at the Macdonough theater this week. Miss Burt enjoys Californian winters, and her first exclamation was over the delightful salubrity of the City of Oaks, as compared with that of San Francisco, which she left last Sunday.

"If I had known of Oakland's charms," she said to a Tribune reporter this morning, "my home would have been here during my San Francisco engagement.

Miss Burt is a young woman of delightful personality, and this, combined with her undisputed claims to a leading place in her profession, makes her one of the most attractive actresses who has ever visited this side of the Rocky Mountains. She is bright, cheerful, jolly and naturally full of the life and gaiety that has given to the role she sustains so much that refreshingly savors of the wild and happy life of freedom from care that is natural to the girl of the mountains. Miss Burt's talents are not turned in a wrong direction when she essays the character she is handling now with such general satisfaction to the overflow audiences that have greeted her everywhere she has been with the company.

Miss Burt has had only two visits to the Pacific coast. She came here four years ago with the "Blue Jeans" company. She had then attained much success in her profession and she has been adding to it ever since. The little lady is a firm believer in the stage and she does not hesitate to express her views, no matter who may be hurt by them. She will suffer no unwarranted attack to be made upon the profession. One of her characteristic moves in that direction was made a short time ago in Kansas City, when what she considered a gratuitous slur was cast upon the women of the profession by a clergyman of that city, who attacked the stage from his pulpit.

Miss Burt buckled on her armor in defense of her beloved calling and replied in seathing words to the attack. She filled a column or so in one of the Kansas City journals with a reply that drew words of praise from some of the most prominent members of the profession. Among the many commendatory letters Miss Burt received regarding the affair there were two in particular that she prizes most especially. They were from Julia Marlowe and Fanny Davenport, applauding her stand in behalf of the women of the stage.

Miss Burt's bright eyes snapped when she was told today that the pastor of one of Oakland's leading churches had recently scored the theater on grounds or morality. "I wish I had been here," she said. "I should have been glad to have had a tilt with the reverend gentleman. I would be so glad if my efforts would convince one at least that per se the stage is not all its critics denounce it for."

Miss Burt has had during the ten years of her theatrical life a series of most interesting engagements. Perhaps one of her most recent successes was during her tour last year of England and Europe, in the play in which she is now appearing. She created a great impression abroad and returned to the United States with many tokens of appreciation in the way of praise from the critics.

Miss Burt is of Welsh extraction and takes a great interest in the doings of her countrymen in America. She has recently purchased stock in the big Tabernacle at Denver, where the National Welsh Eisteddfod is to be held this year. During her trip West the Welsh Cambrian Society at Salt Lake entertained her and at a reception given in her honor there were fully 500 present.

Miss Burt joined the company at Omaha on December 23d. The lady who had been sustaining the role was required to leave and Miss Burt was summoned to fill the vacancy. She had been appearing with a stock company at Boston prior to that.

"In Old Kentucky," during Miss Burt's connection with the play, has had some remarkable runs. At Boston a ten weeks' engagement was played.

The first week's receipts were $15,000 which will take place with the figures of big theatrical engagements in the United States.

Miss Burt has a strong and fond ambition to become a leading lady of note. Her ability in character roles is so well demonstrated that she has been guided in some measure by her friends and has continued to carry those roles. If ability and a charm of manner that is most agreeable count, Miss Burt will realize her ambition very speedily. There were several offers made to her during her San Francisco engagement, but she did not consider them seriously. The company with which she is now playing has dates into April, when it will probably close at Chicago.

Miss Burt's home is in New York. She said today that her mother and herself could find no more congenial and delightful abode than Oakland, did not her professional demands require that she be at the metropolis and the center of the theatrical business of the country.

The company leaves tomorrow for San Jose, Sacramento, and the larger coast cities.

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SAVED EIGHTEEN MEN.

The Schooner Compeer Here After a Noteworthy Voyage.

She Ran Across a Shipwrecked Crew on the Northern Coast.

The schooner Compeer, Captain Sorensen, arrived in the creek last night. She was loaded with lumber from Whatcom, sailed on the 14th and had an eventful voyage, losing one man and picking up eighteen from the British ship Nineveh.

On the morning of the 23d, while the Compeer was coming through the Straits of San Juan de Fuega, F. Lotstrum, a Swedish sailor, fell overboard. He was dressed in a rubber coat and boots at the time, which filled with water and he sank before assistance could reach him.

Wind-bound, the Compeer put into Clallom Bay, but the weather clearing she sailed on the morning of the 24th. The Nineveh was in the bay at the same time, but was towed to sea that afternoon. She was loaded with lumber bound for Sydney.

The wind sprang up on the morning of the 24th and by the morning of the 25th had increased to a hurricane. During the storm the Nineveh, which is an old wooden vessel, built in 1865, sprung a leak. During the night of the 26th it was seen that she could not be kept afloat much longer, although both steam and hand pumps were kept working. Her deck load had shifted, the lee bulwarks were washed away and every sea broke over her.

During the night she sent up rockets which were seen by those on the Compeer, but because of the distance and hazy weather, they could not be distinctly read. When morning came it was seen that the distressed vessel was the Nineveh. The Compeer hauled and took aboard Captain Bradford and his crew of seventeen men. Provisions were short on the schooner and Mate Lapping was sent back aboard the Nineveh to get more. Before leaving her he saturated the cabin with coal oil and set it afire. At 10 o'clock that night she was in sight and still burning. At the time the mate left the sinking vessel there were eleven feet of water in her hold.

Captain Bradford and several of his crew were badly bruised by the shifting timbers. This morning they left the schooner and went to San Francisco to make their report to the British Consul.

GHIRADELLI FIRST.

Arrangements Made for the Trial of the Suspects.

Judge Greene today set the trials of two of the three Italians who are charged with the murder of Varni Felice. The men are to be tried separately and two weeks will be reserved by the court for the trial of each case. That of Michael Ghiradelli will be the first one handled. His case was set for April 7th. Immediately following will be the trial of Joseph Lazarretto whose case was set for April 21st. That of Antonio Devencenzio was not set because the defendant failed to answer to his name. He did not appear and his case was passed until he is located and brought into court. There is no fear that he has disappeared. His attorney stated that it was probable that he had forgotten the date for his appearance.

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TO TAKE IN THE TOWN.

A First-Class Parade Is to Be Made Washington's Birthday.

Merchants Will Decorate Their Stores and All Will Be Gaiety.

The celebration of Washington's birthday in Oakland will be on a much larger scale than at first intended. The committee in charge has been hard at work making final arrangements and as a result of their labors Oakland will be in true holiday attire. All the merchants on Broadway with the exception of two will decorate their stores elaborately and arrangements have been made for an extensive display of streamers across the streets.

The line of march has been definitely decided upon, and arrangements for the formation of the parade have been made.

The divisions will form on Second and Third streets, then fall in line on Broadway, marching west along Fourth street to Washington, thence up Washington to Fourteenth street, marching east from there to San Pablo avenue. There a turn will be made into San Pablo avenue and out that thoroughfare to Sixteenth street and to Telegraph avenue. Down Telegraph avenue to Seventh street, where the divisions will line up on each side of the street to review the procession of school children.

The parade will be accompanied by five bands and probably a drum corps.

It is expected that the merchants will close their stores until after the street exercises have been completed and already a number have signified their willingness. A committee will visit all merchants in a few days, expecting to prevail upon them to take concerted action in this regard.

Arrangements are progressing to have the parade billed in all the towns of the county, and as well quarter cards will be distributed throughout this city.

The following merchants have agreed to decorate their establishments: Fred Gatter, Pioneer Loan Office, Leitch & Co., Louis Camp, L. Jurgens, Ackerman & Co., American Tea Co., Selby & Co., A. D. Dennis, P. Boas, C. N. Rosenberg, M. Cohn & Co., Jos. Harris, Bowman & Sons, J. Rosenberg, C. G. Hardy, R. W. Edwards, Pierce Hardware Co., Kirkland & Trowbridge, J. Letter, F. Senram, Lathrop & Walner, L. H. Briggs, C. C. Nordhausen, H. Alexander, Jonas Bros., Reilly & Co., Scharmen & Co., Union National Bank, M. J. Keller & Co., A. J. Dibert, P. Flynn, M. Lissner & Co., A. Steffanoni, G. B. Daniels, A. Coplin, Taft & Pennoyer, Chas. Baab, S. Rubel, N. Y. Tea Co., Osgood Bros., Louisville Restaurant, Examiner Office, Union Savings Bank, Evans & Jordan, Land Title Co., R. D. Hunter, S. F. Chronicle, Oakland Times, Palace Restaurant, Alex. Hirshberg, Whitney Express Co., C. C. Bunce, A. H. Rott, Brown & McKinnon, Philadelphia Restaurant, Heron & Holcomb, J. C. Wilson & Co., F. C. Howe, Furniture Manufacturing Co., Dresco & Co., Clark Wise, Leavitt & Bill, S. Anderson, Sherman & Clay, S. Smith, Weitman & Weitman, Miss Williams, Seth F. Thomas, Flint's Drug Store.

FIFTEEN YEARS OLD.

Anniversary Celebration by the Christian Endeavor Union.

The Oakland City Christian Endeavor Union celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor last evening. The young people of the different societies assembled in the First M. E. Church, where speeches and music were the order.

Fifteen years ago Father Clark of Williston organized the first Christian Endeavor Society. The total membership now numbers over 2,500,000.

The programme was as follows: Praise service, led by J. M. Robinson; devotional exercises, conducted by Dr. R. F. Stratton, past president of the County Union; introductory remarks by E. O. Gilbert, president of the Oakland City Union; paper on "International Fellowship," by Geo. H. White; musical selection; paper, "The Work of the Lookout Committee," by C. F. Baker; address, "Christian Endeavorers and Bible Study," by Professor R. R. Lloyd of the Pacific Theological Seminary; consecration service led by the president.

SET THEM FREE.

How an East Oakland Justice Disposed of Horse Stealers.

Editor Tribune: Sir—They have a wondrous way of administering justice in East Oakland. A few days ago a couple of youths named Thomas Wright and Claude Patey were brought before Justice Lawrence charged with stealing horses from the Hewston place. There was no question as to their guilt, but Justice Lawrence, who was on the bench, set them free because they were young. All that is necessary nowadays therefore is to be young in order to escape punishment from crime. Has the bandage been removed from the eyes of justice so that she can see and dispense according to who is before her? Justice Lawrence, though, is perhaps trying to exercise a unique method of being "a just judge." It strikes an onlooker as partaking of the unfair.

H. C. F.

East Oakland, Feb. 4th, 1896.

HE IS NOT CROWLEY.

The Martinez Suspect Not Identified by Charles White.

Sheriff Veale of Contra Costa county has not Phil Crowley, the Haywards bandit, in custody. That was conclusively proven today when the photograph of the suspect reached Sheriff White's office. The photograph bears no resemblance to Crowley. Deputy Sheriff Charles White examined it today and pronounced it not to be the man who was so near him in the little cabin on San Lorenzo creek.

Sheriff Veale has been notified that so far as Sheriff White is concerned the local officers have no use for the vagrant who was suspected of being the notorious desperado and escaped convict.

TOWN TOPICS.

The meeting of the Catholic Ladies' Aid Society will take place tomorrow afternoon at Y. M. I. Hall, 1058 Broadway.

A Talk on Siam.

Mrs. S. B. Cheek, formerly of Siam, will lecture on the land of the white elephant tomorrow evening at the Y. W. C. A. parlors, 1421 Franklin street. The talk, which will begin at 7:45, will be illustrated with curios and photographs of the strange country. The ways of the Siamese are comparatively unfamiliar to the average person and Mrs. Clark's address should prove very interesting. Her knowledge has been obtained by personal research

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PICKED UP A PURSE.

Edward Bishop on Trial on a Charge of Larceny.

The Case Against Him Is Weak and Acquittal Seems Certain.

Henry Dusterberry was excused today by Judge Greene from further duty as a juror on the present term panel. He convinced the court he was too deaf to hear ordinary conversation. Dusterberry explained that he had not been excused by Judge Frick because that judge may have believed he was "faking" in order to shirk jury duty. It was apparent, however, that Dusterberry could not hear the tones of Deputy District Attorney Melvin, so Judge Greene allowed him to go.

This was an incident in the examination of talesmen to secure a jury for the trial of aged Edward Bishop on a charge of grand larceny. Bishop is accused of having on March 6th of last year picked up a purse containing $64 belonging to Hirsch & Wachsmann. Instead of finding the owners Bishop appropriated the money to himself.

He was held for trial by Judge Wood several months ago on evidence that even the District Attorney's office admits is of a very weak character. The trial will not occupy more than a day and Bishop will probably be acquitted.

TO THE CARNIVAL.

Excursions to Be Run to the Truckee Ice Palace.

Oaklanders are to have an opportunity to visit the ice carnival at Truckee, and many will doubtlessly embrace it. Excursion trains will leave Sixteenth street depot, this city, at 6:36 P. M. on Friday and Saturday evenings of this week. The round trip including sleepers will cost but $7.50.

The Truckee ice carnival has been a great success and has attracted many tourists. To Oaklanders, to whom snow and ice are foreign quantities, the delights of the carnival will be multiplied.

An Inter-Scholastic Debate.

The Oakland High school and Lowell High school of San Francisco will hold an inter-scholastic debate on April 10th. The debaters will represent each side and each will be allowed 15 minutes. Each leader will be allowed five minutes to close his arguments. The question has not as yet been chosen.

A Place to Picnic.

New picnic grounds have been located by the Southern Pacific on the Santa Cruz line. They are in the mountains near Alma and are charmingly located. The company will spend $25,000 fitting them up and they will undoubtedly prove very popular.

Must Try It Again.

The complaint in the case of Prof. Von Hirsch was dismissed this morning on technical grounds. It did not conform with the language of the statute. A new complaint will be filed.

Library Registration.

New cards are being issued and a new registration made at the Free Library. There are a number of members who are dead or left Oakland and the object of the work is to get an exact list of the now active members. The work is being done without inconvenience to the patrons.

Off to Los Angeles.

Attorney G. W. Baker and W. E. Dargie left this afternoon for Los Angeles.

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DIED.

PLACE—In West Oakland, February 4, 1896, Leonard P. Place, beloved father of Mrs. I. M. Wentworth, Mrs. Fred Seale, Mrs. William H. White of Elmwood, Massachusetts, and Charles L. Place of Stockton, a native of Rochester, New Hampshire, aged 82 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services TOMORROW, Thursday, February 6, 1896, at 2 o'clock P. M., from his late residence, 1622 Fourteenth street. Interment private.

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A branch office of The Tribune has been opened in the stationery and embroidery store of Mrs. M. A. Cahill, 1215 New Broadway, near Fourteenth street. There small advertisements and subscriptions may be left. Advertisements will be received and published the same day up to 1:30 o'clock.

BUSINESS PERSONALS.

A FIRST class cook wishes a few more engagements to get up dinner and lunch parties for private families. Best of references given. Address or apply, Mrs. Amauvic, 943 Isabella st., near San Pablo av.

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CARLTON W. GREENE—Attorney-at-law, with dist. att'y. Court House.

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BEN. F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

DODGE & FRY—Attorneys-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 21 and 22, Blake & Moffitt building.

HARRY A. MELVIN—Attorney-at-law; office of prosecuting att'y, City Hall.

Z. N. GOLDSBY—Attorney-at-law, No. 957 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2.

FRANK W. SAWYER—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 72-3-4, Oakland.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

WASTE & STETSON—Attorneys and counselors-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 13 and 14, Blake & Moffitt building, Oakland, California.

E. H. SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 53 and 54.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of 9th st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

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SNOOK & CHURCH—Attorneys-at-law, room 3, dist. atty's office, Court House.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR.—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

W. F. ARAM—Attorney-at-law, 856 Broadway.

NOTARY PUBLICS.

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REMOVED—N. W. Winton, notary public and dealer in real estate, has removed to 968 Broadway between 9th and 10th. Call and see his list of properties.

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WANTED—By a competent woman, a situation in city or country to do general housework or cooking; country preferred. Apply 355 10th st.

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The librarian reported as follows: Number of borrowers on January 1, 1896, 10,850; number of applicants registered, 143; number of borrowers withdrawn, 14; number of borrowers February 1, 10,979; volumes added by purchase, 21.

Mrs. L. H. Codington, curator of the North Oakland reading room reported the average attendance for January to be 132.

D. Strong of the Central reading room reported the attendance at 780.

At the West Oakland reading room the average attendance was 335.

Over in East Oakland the average was 156.

At Twenty-third avenue it was 157.

A number of new books were ordered.

The following bills were reported on favorably by the auditing committee and ordered paid:

Alameda Encinal, $7.50; B. K. Allen, $11; S. Anderson, $11.35; C. Boman, $15; J. C. Bullock, $18; C. C. Water Co., $1.25; Carruth & Carruth, $7.50, $35.80; W. J. Cassidy, $9.35; E. A. De Lameter, $4.95; Craib & Co., $35.50; Dodd, Mead & Co., $14.65; Emery & Prosser, $11; Johnson Emigh, $5.73; J. H. McDonald, $50; Maxwell & Sons, $40; Oakland Electrical Works, $1.75; Oakland G. L. & Heat Co., $144.80; Oakland Postoffice, $2; Oakland Printing Co., $13; Safety Filter Co., $4.50; S. F. Bulletin, $2.30; Tribune Pub. Co., $28.50; Twenty-third avenue and East Fourteenth street Imprivement Company, $15; W. E. T. Wehr, $3.90; Pacific Press Pub. Co., $30.80; Orion I. O. O. F. Hall Association, $18.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Macdonough—"In Old Kentucky."
Oakland—"A Trip to the Circus."
Baldwin—Grand opera, "Huguenots."
California—"Hendrick Hudson, Jr."
Columbia—"Men and Women."
Morosco's—"Sins of the Night."
Tivoli—"The Gentle Savage."
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Alcazar—"Arabian Nights," and "Joe's Girls."
New Bush Street—"Uncle Tom's Cabin."
Bay District Track—Races.
Shoot the Chutes—Daily at Haight street, one block east of the Park.

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE IN SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. FEBRUARY 5, 1896.

Northern California: Cloudy in the north portion this afternoon and tonight, fair in the south portion, fair Thursday; cooler tonight at Eureka and warmer at Fresno, southerly winds shifting to westerly and probably to northerly Thursday.

Southern California: Fair tonight and Thursday, light northerly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Fair tonight and Thursday; fresh westerly winds.

W. H. HAMMON,
Forecast Official.

WEDNESDAY.....FEBRUARY 5, 1896

Whitelaw Reid, who is spending the winter in Arizona, reports that his health is much better, and that he has not been so well and vigorous in five years as he is now. Arizona is fast gaining a reputation for its sanitary qualities. Not every invalid who goes there returns with health, but many do.

According to the report of the Bank Commissioners the deposits in the fifty-seven savings banks of California amount to $130,825,550.38. Besides this amount there are $60,399,238.40 on deposit in the commercial banks of the State. These savings bank deposits indicate a fair degree of prosperity. California in the matter of money is not a poor State by a long way.

The ancient town of Monterey will celebrate on July 7th of this year the raising of the American flag on California soil. Practically California became American territory from that date. California therefore under this flag will be fifty years old in July. There ought to be a memorable celebration then. Some of the men who took a hand in making the first constitution are still alive. If Senator Perkins bill to appropriate $10,000 for a monument to Commodore Sloat, who raised the first flag, should become a law the foundation for the monument would probably be laid as a part of this celebration.

The personal estate of the late Robert Louis Stevenson in the United Kingdom has just been taxed at the valuation of $57,000. Stevenson worked on to the last. He was unwilling to think that his powers were declining. But his work was evidence that there had been a great decline in his creative power. Disease was making rapid inroads. He had not finished the work he had planned to do. Stevenson, for an author who was so well off, had a great many worries, as his letters indicate. He could not impart his genius to his stepson Osborne, and that circumstance might have been an occasion for additional worry.

There are many on this side of the country who knew Rev. Dr. George F. Magoun, who had been president of Iowa College for twenty years. He died at his home in Grinnell on Thursday morning last. The college of which he was the head was founded and endowed by Congregationalists. The Inter-Ocean has this notice of the deceased:

"He was one of Iowa's most distinguished and useful citizens. In educational and religious circles his reputation was national. For many years in whatever convention or other large gathering he might be, Dr. Magoun was apt to be a man of note and power. His clear perceptions, strong convictions, stalwart figure and superb voice made it easy for him to come readily to the front. As one of the pioneer preachers and educators in his State—a State which some time had for its motto, "A school house on every hill and no saloons in the valley," the part taken by him will be long and gratefully remembered. Born and educated in Maine, in coming West, whatever the broadening of his views and sympathies, he never went back on the ideas and principles of the true "down East" puritanism.

In the February number of the Century there is an interesting paper by Henry M. Stanley. He was the first white man in Uganda in 1876.

"It is wonderful," he says, "what earnestness and perseverance will do. We have only to think of Uganda, with its 200 churches and cathedrals and its 50,000 native Christians, read the latest official reports from Nyassa land, and glance at the latest map of Africa, to be convinced of the zeal, devotion and industry of the missionaries."

Some of the difficulties to be overcome are set forth in this paragraph:

"Gospels are not translated into African tongues, nor are converts spontaneous products of human nature. I am somewhat familiar with African facts, and to me these things represent immense labor, patience and self-sacrifice; but others expect Africans to fall in love with the missionary's eyes. It is true, though strange, that for the first six years or so very little visible effect is produced by missionary teaching and influence. The mind of a pagan descendant of innumerable centuries of pagans appears to be for some time impenetrable to the Christian doctrine, and no matter how zealously a missionary may strive with him, he continues to present a wooden dullness, until by and by there is a gleam of interest; he catches the idea, as it were; and the interest becomes infectious and spreads from family to family, and converts multiply rapidly. 'Cast thy bread upon the waters, for thou shalt find it after many days.'

The Freedom of the City for Robbers

The Tribune published last evening the most extraordinary record of burglaries and robberies ever committed in Oakland. Within less than a month there have been six instances of safe cracking, thirty-two burglaries and four robberies reported. It is doubtful if any other city in California could present such a record of crime committed in so short a time. It does not mitigate the evil to say that most of these crimes were committed by rascals who have been driven out of San Francisco, or who have come in from Eastern cities.

The point of chief importance just now is that citizens have no adequate protection. It ought not to have been possible for safe crackers to have worked for hours in Girard's store, one of the most central places in the city, and next door to a bank. The explosions were heard by a number of people and by more than one of the police. Yet no one knew what had occurred until the store was opened in the morning and the occupant was presented with such a scene of wreckage as was never witnessed in this city. Had the rascals only a little more time, they might have proceeded to wreck the Central Bank with as little hindrance from the police as occurred in wrecking Girard's store.

This extraordinary list of crimes clearly establishes the fact that no adequate protection is given to the citizens of Oakland. Every expert safe cracker and robber knows this fact, and he operates with a corresponding boldness. Taxes are paid for protection. Citizens pour their money into the treasury for that purpose. When the municipal government does not afford any adequate protection, the inquiry naturally goes round, "What is the matter? What is it that is out of joint, that safe crackers and burglars can work their own will in the city with nearly as much liberty as if there were no police force at all?"

The request of citizens for an increase of policemen has been denied on the ground of a lack of funds. It is one of the instances where a small economy does not fit the case. There has recently been a heralding of the number of Chinese arrested for playing the tan game. No doubt every one of these were violators of law. But while the microscopic eye of justice was on the tan players there was no vision for the greater rascals. It has come to this: If the city authorities do not make some better provision for protection, citizens will take the matter in hand and will not listen to any such petty excuses as that there are no funds to employ additional policemen.

The criminal record during the last thirty days is the shame and disgrace of the city. Literally, the town has been turned over for a month to the plundering of robbers on the highways, and burglars in dwellings and stores. The rascals have had free commons. They must have laughed over the freedom of the city for their especial benefit. It is time now to call a halt. Suppose the freedom of the city should now, by way of experiment, be denied to safe-crackers and burglars?

Laying on the Local Color.

The people of Utah have now and then complained that the resources of that State have never had sufficient publicity. A short time ago A. W. Gordon of Edinburgh, representing a syndicate of capitalists, visited Utah to see what opportunities there were for making investments. Judge Colborn, as Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, was appointed to collect the desired information. He called attention to some of the richest mines in the State, which has the richest and at the same time the least advertised mining districts in the United States. His statements appear in the Salt Lake Herald.

"Still Utah has mines, the mention of which are sufficient to attract the attention of the entire mining world. The "Ontario," with its $13,175,000, the Horn Silver, with its $5,147,500; and the Daly, with its $2,870,000, are mentioned as notable examples. These are silver mines, but there are others which are paying dividends, among them being the Mercur, which is disbursing at a rate of $250,000 per annum. It is not the hen that clucks, but the fowl which produces the eggs which brings the poultry. And he calls attention to the fact that thirty-eight mines in Colorado have paid less than $500,000 more than ten mines in Utah, and the same ten mines in Utah have paid but about $2,600,000 less than seventeen in Montana, where the famous Granite Mountain is situated. The statement shows the Ontario to have paid more dividends than any other silver mine in the United States, and that its dividends exceed by $1,055,000 the dividends paid by the Granite Mountain mine in Montana."

As the syndicate was not specially interested in agriculture no extended reference is made to that wonderful system of irrigation which is the pioneer of all the irrigation enterprises on this side of the Rocky Mountains, and which has contributed more to the prosperity of that State than any other enterprise that has ever been introduced. Judge Colborn lays the colors very thick on Salt Lake City. There is a justification in the fact that there is no other city of equal size in the Union that shows more substantial improvements than are here set forth.

"There are a hundred miles of streets in Salt Lake 132 feet wide, many of which are paved with Utah asphaltum, and all lined with brooks fed by mountain water and embowered in foliage. The beauty of the situation and environment entitles Salt Lake City to its reputation of being one of the most attractive cities in the world. It has a $1,000,000 city building; its architecture is modern, it is equipped with every advantage found in representative cities; it is well governed and its people are of that sturdy and progressive class which knows no such word as fail in the business of increasing its population and expanding its trade. There will be no interruption in its progress. It is just entering the gateway of increased prosperity, which has come to every State when first attired in the garments of sovereignty."

The Atlantic Monthly is making a tilt against Speaker Reed for President. That is quite natural. The Atlantic represents the Brahminical culture of Boston and a great deal of the atmosphere at Harvard. At that institution free trade is taught by all the armchair theorists. Reed is in quite another atmosphere, and probably does not care a copper as to what the Atlantic thinks about his candidacy and little as to what opinions the Brahmen of Boston have of his fitness for the office.

Courting the American Constitution.

Mr. Balfour, the second man in the British cabinet, talks about an American "alliance." Just now the British are making a great many concessions that don't concede. The Monroe doctrine was at first flouted and metaphorically kicked in the most contemptuous manner. Now Lord Salisbury concedes that it is a sound doctrine, only that it should not apply to the Venezuela question. Then the appointing of American commissioners to look into the question of boundaries was considered an ungracious act. Now it may be right in the line of an early settlement.

Arbitration in some modified form is more than a possibility. There can be no alliance other than one that simply takes in the settled policy of arbitration as an international fact. Neither language or race affinities will at present tolerate any other. But this country is in the front of all other nations for the one purpose of making arbitration the settled policy of civilized nations.

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

A Daily Resume of History for Your Scrap Book.

On February 5th of the years named occurred the following important events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.

Saints Agatha, Abraamius, Avitus, Alice.

BIRTHS.

1674—Bishop Thomas Tanner.
1771—Rev. Dr. John Lingard, historian.
1788—Sir Robert Peel.
1799—Dr. John Lindley, botanist.
1811—Dwight L. Moody.

DEATHS.

B. C. 46—Marcus Cato.
1552—James Meyer.
1718—Adrian Reland.
1721—James, Earl of Stanhope.
1890—Dr. William Cullen.
1799—Luigi Galvani, discoverer of galvanism.
1805—Thomas Banks, sculptor.
1807—Gen. Paoli, Corsican patriot.
1869—Lionel, Marquis of Moustier.
1870—Trueman H. Hoag, Washington, D. C.
1894—Theodore Billroth.
1895—Mrs. Charlotte E. Brown, first president of Federation of Women's Clubs.

OTHER EVENTS.

1757—English win the battle of Plassey.
1778—Gen. John Cadwallader seriously wounded Gen. Conway in a duel.
1783—Sweden recognized independence of United States.
1865—Battle of Hatcher's Run, Va.
1870—Prince Arthur in Boston.
1874—Gen. Sir Garnet Wolseley entered Coomassie.
1875—Amended Silver Rights Bill passed by the House.
1878—The prefect of St. Petersburg shot by Vera Tassulitch.
1885—Gen. Gordon killed.
1886—New York Senate began its inquiry into the Broadway Railroad.
1887—Revival in Talmadge's church, Brooklyn, results in 2000 converts.
1887—Verdi's opera "Othello" produced in Milan.
1887—Suspension of the Coupon War in Virginia.
1888—Hildreth's Printing Building burned in St. Louis; loss, $165,000.
1888—New York Police Courts allow G. A. R. men to parade on Sunday.
1889—Strike of New York street car men declared off. Men lose.
1891—President Harrison proclaimed reciprocity with Brazil.
1891—Pullman car shops at St. Louis burned. Loss, $250,000.
1892—Rare conjunction of Jupiter and Venus after thirty years.
1894—Anarchist Vaillant guillotined in Paris.
1895—Springer's finance bill authorizing the issue of the $500,000,000 gold bonds defeated in the House.
1895—Lawson power of removal bill passed at Albany.
1895—District of Columbia appropriation bill passed.
1895—Pope sends a letter to the effect that he does not approve of priests riding bicycles.
1895—Boardman tobacco warehouse burned in Cincinnati, Ohio; loss, $500,000.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson complains bitterly that her husband's friends—if such she still holds them to be—have hastened to the marketplace with his private letters and published them without her sanction. In one of these letters Stevenson says that he was happy only once in his life, and that, too, on the chance of its misinterpertation, is ashes in Mrs. Stevenson's mouth.

So closely does the cunning of the wolves and coyotes keep pace with the schemes of the stockmen in the West that the prospect of ever getting thoroughly rid of the pests seems as poor as ever, and the stockmen are almost in despair. Poisoned bait the animals have laughed at for years, and no matter how skillfully prepared it rarely causes the death of even a baby wolf now. Traps have proved equally useless. Hunting with dogs was slightly successful last season, but most of the hounds have been killed by the wolves. Shooting is the only sure way of killing the beasts, but it is very hard to get near enough for this. Round-up hunts are also effective, but are hard to organize. The latest scheme to have success, that doubtless will prove a chief, is to fish for the animals. A stout fish-hook is baited with some tempting morsel, beyond by suspicion even by a wolf or coyote. To the hook is attached a strong copper wire, which is then hidden in the grass, and to its further end a stout anchor is fastened. The anchor is not too heavy for the wolf to move, but is too heavy to be hauled far. This scheme has proved very successful. The wolf swallows the bait and what follows can be imagined. Next day a cowboy rides over the range and shoots the anchored animals.

Washington State has the record for lumber production last year on the Pacific coast, and probably in the whole country. During the year lumber to the amount of 411,793,952 feet was shipped, 152,294,373 feet going to foreign countries. One mill at Port Blakeley turned out an average of 30,000 feet of lumber for every working day of last year.

George L. Wellington, who has been elected to succeed Senator Gibson of Maryland, is what is commonly termed a self-made man. He attended school only a year and a half in his boyhood, but afterward, while at work, spent his evenings in securing an education, which included a thorough grounding in history and literature.

A German publication bearing the title "Princely Authors of the Ninteenth Century," shows that thirty illustrious personages in Europe have made contributions to the world's literature. The first on the list is the Kaiser, with his "Song to Aegir," and one of the last is, curiously enough, the Shah of Persia. The book contains many royal literary efforts never before printed.

Says the Baltimore News, speaking of the new president of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad: "An analogy has been pointed out between the case of Mr. Cowen and that of Mr. Depew, now for many years president of the New York Central Railroad. Both are eminent lawyers and distinguished public speakers. Neither was a trained railroad man when elected to the railroad presidency. Both have been prominently connected with politics."

There seems to be little doubt that John B. Robinson of South Africa is the richest man in the world. His fortune is estimated at $350,000,000. In 1878 Robinson was in debt. He had kept a grocery store in the Orange Free State, but he could not make both ends meet. He and his wife begged their way for 300 miles to Kimberly. Here Robinson laid the foundation of his enormous fortune by picking up a rough diamond worth $1,200. His ambition now is to be worth a billion.

The Minneapolis people wish to know what else could have been expected of a steamer named St. Paul.

Rudyard Kipling is said to be infatuated with his work as a playwright and dreams of triumphs in a new field.

Eight of the ten universities of Great Britain now admit women to degrees, and it is likely that Cambridge will soon be the ninth. The growth of the women's colleges at this university—Girton and Newnham—is a remarkable example of women's progress in academic education.

Senator Evarts, when asked once by one not initiated if there was a difference between a canvas back and a red head duck, and if he could tell the difference, quickly replied: "I can, very readily; it is simply in the size of the bill."

An investigation of the question of school lunches has been made in Boston recently, and arrangements have been made for the furnishing of cheap lunches in the high schools at a cost of five and ten cents. A delicate point under consideration is how to furnish lunches to those children who are unable to pay for them. In serving lunches at the noon hour it is found that there is a decided tendency to eat too fast. One visitor kept tally on the boys, and found a boy who broke the record by getting away with three sandwiches, a piece of cake and a cup of chocolate in four minutes by the watch.

HUMOROUS.

Papa (on the top of the stairs)—Is that young man gone, Mamie?

Mamie—Yes, papa; awfully!—Judge.

Paternal Visitor—Do you like to go to school, little boy?

Little Boy—Yes, I like goin' to school well enough and comin' home all right. What I don't like is havin' to stay cooped up in there between times.—Somerville Journal.

The leap-year girl should learn to pay the bills like a little man.—Philadelphia Record.

A Leap-Year Opportunity—She—Do you think it would be unmaidenly for a girl to propose to a man?

He—Certainly not, if she is rich enough for two.—New York Sun.

Timid Old Lady (watching the agitated water)—Are there ever any persons lost in this river, boatman?

Ferryman—Bless yer, no mum; we allus finds 'em again the next day.—London Tit-Bits.

"I always meet trouble half way," said the man who had paid half of his promissory note and arranged for an extension of the other half.—Detroit Free Press.

The rising orator of the backwoods of Canada was lately addressing an assembly of fellow-patriots. In the course of his speech his patriotism was bubbling over, his eloquence was a surprise to even himself, for this is what he stated: "The British lion, whether it is roaming the deserts of Africa or climbing the forests of America, will not draw in its horns or retire into its shell.—Detroit News.

She waved her hand imperiously.

"Be very careful," she commanded her maid, "of the perspective. You made me look dreadfully shallow last evening."

After that the making of her toilet proceeded without further interruption.—Detroit Tribune.

"It's a good deal of work to keep this tail of mine from getting twisted," said the British lion.

"You don't go about it in the right way," replied the Russian bear. "You ought to quit lashing it and wag it once in a while."—Washington Star.

"What you want," said the practical man who had gone to China as a missionary, "is civilization."

"How do you propose to give it to us?" inquired a man who had served against the Japanese.

"Well," was the thoughtful reply, "prayer books are the most lasting. But gunboats are a great deal quicker."

The Salaries of Dramatic Artists.

Sarah Bernhardt's salary is $1,500 a week. Yvette Guilbert receives, under her present contract, $7,000 a week, and Calve earns $1,200 for each of her appearances. Olga Nethersole earns $250 a week. What with his salary and percentage of the receipts, John Drew makes in good times $500 a week. A competent leading man or woman, like Henry Miller or Herbert Kelcey, Viola Allen or Isabel Irving, can be had for $200 a week. The only player that has ever received, even in this prodigal country, a salary equal to that of Bernhardt was Mme. Modjeska. Edwin Booth, who knew nothing about the value of money, once engaged the Polish actress at a salary of $1,500 a week.

Mr. Grau's contract with Guilbert lasts only two weeks, after which she returns to the cheap prices of Paris. Calve's contract lasts five months, but during that time she sings only twice or three times a week, after which she returns to the moderate salaries of Europe. Melba receives $1,500 a night in this country, but in Paris she is content with $300 a performance. But Sarah Bernhardt's contract continues through summer and winter and every Saturday night she pockets $1500. Taking one thing with another, the actress is better off than the singers. Averaging the entire income of each performance, we should say that Calve earns $50,000 a year, Guilbert about $35,000, while Bernhardt is sure of $75,000 annually for five years.—From the Gothamite.

Awakened.

"Your highness!" exclaimed the grand vizier, as he rushed into the royal presence and flung himself at his sovereign's feet.

"Arise," was the gracious response. "You needn't prostrate yourself."

"I can't help it. This is a case of nervous prostration. Zobeide—"

"Yes—the queen of the harem—"

"Is on a rampage. She is looking for trouble with a searchlight and a Gatling gun, your majesty. She says that unless she is treated with more consideration she'll make your majesty's brow a candidate for a toupe and turn the palace into a discordant crimson wilderness."

"What is it all about?"

"That last costume you sent her from the milliner's."

"Why, it has been in style these hundreds of years. Everybody knows what a Turkish lady ought to wear. There can't be any trouble."

"Yes. She says the bloomers are all right. But what she wants is the bicycle that goes with them."

Beaten by Figures.

I was waiting at the depot for a southbound train when a negro drayman approached me, hat in hand, and said:

"'Scuse me, boss, but I wanter ax yo' a few queshuns."

"All right—go ahead."

"A few weeks ago I sold Mr. Peters a mewl for $15. Please put dat down."

"Yes."

"One time he pays me $3, an' agin he pays me $2. How much did dat leave to pay?"

"Ten dollars."

"Den he borrows $2 of me and lets it go on de mewl."

"That increased the debt to $12."

"Den he pays me $5 and borrows $7."

"That left him owing you $14."

"Den he pays me $4 and borrows $6, an' dat was de last transacshun' aill dis mawnin'."

"If you are right about the payments he still owes you $16."

"Shoo, but yo' doan' say! Why, dat man come 'long 'bout two hours ago and says to me: 'Joe, I doan' want to bodder you 'bout money, but Ize mighty hard up, an' if yo' kin gib me de $11 yo' is owin' me on dat mewl trade I shall esteem it a great favor.' Dat's what he said, sah, an' I handed out de money."

"Well, it seems to be rather mixed up."

"She do, sah. I reckoned Mr. Peters owed me $9 or $10, an' he dun reckoned I owed him $11. Hu! Shoo! Dat's de way of it. I never did 'sociate wid a white man in bizness dat I didn't get de wust of it, an' now yo' ha'r me when I say dat it's de last time—de last prevailin' occashun dat I make a trade wid any 'rithmetic in it."—Detroit Free Press.

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The Veto Power.

Editor Tribune—Sir: "Let the will of the people be the law of the land." With a satisfactory position upon the silver question the Republican party will beyond peradventure carry everything in the campaign of this year of 1896. The way to get this satisfactory position is very plain. Recognizing the fact that this is a democracy, let the matter be put squarely into the hands of the people. To do this, it is only necessary to put candidates in the field upon a platform binding them to a non-exercise of the veto power upon silver legislation. This would put the matter with the people to elect men of their own views to represent them in the Senate and House of Representatives at Washington, and then whatever these representatives might do would be the acts of the people and become the law of the land and be submitted to. It would not be a something dictated and coerced by a single individual representing only the executive branch of the government, and he to a very great extent irresponsible. The veto is a fragment of monarchism, of kingly power, projecting itself into our otherwise complete democratic form of government, and it should be stricken out of it, and until then we should put men in power who will not use it. The subject matter of this article is a timely one now, upon the eve of selecting delegates to the national convention, and the press ought to make it a very prominent one.

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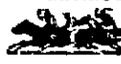

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Outdoor Events Booming as a Result of Fine Weather.

CHANGES AT THE CLUBS.

Bicyclists Busily Preparing for the Road Races.

BASEBALL TAKES A SPURT.

The University Nine Will Try to Trip Up the Stanfords.

The close season for ducks and quails will commence on Feb. 15th.

The Encinal Yacht Club has dedicated its new quarters in Alameda.

A rowing regatta on Lake Merritt is a proposed feature of the Washington's birthday celebration.

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The Reliance Club has made $1,200 by the "7-20-8" performances.

Al. Lean, boxing instructor of the Acme Club, has resigned. He will devote his attention hereafter to the Reliance Club.

Baseball is the thing among the high school boys. A game between the low and the high seniors will be played next Saturday at the Madison street grounds.

THE UMPIRE.

The amateur baseball season gives promise of a most auspicious opening this year. The activity displayed over the organization of nines both in San Francisco and on the eastern shore of the bay, is a fair indication that the game will not languish in this section of the State during 1896. The most important move that has been made in this direction is the formation of the Wheelmen's League. It has reached a perfect state now and is in a shape that augurs well for a very interesting series of games between the prominent clubs of San Francisco, Oakland and Alameda. There are eight represented in the league and each has taken pains to organize a nine that will play ball for all that there is in the game. The season with the league will open on March 1st and the schedule that has been arranged will give every club in the league ample opportunity to give an exhibition of its prowess with its fellow-members. There is no question that the league will not only develop a greater interest in the game, but will give an incentive to the members of the various clubs to make the wheel runs during the season much more interesting. The purpose of the league is incidentally two-fold. The games are to be played in connection with the club runs, and this of itself will stimulate members to join the runs and enjoy the sport on the diamond as well. Thus the original intent will be doubly realized. The one will not detract from the other. The members are sure to turn out in much greater force and the competition over the games will naturally lead in other directions to a more diversified programme.

The organization of amateur nines grows apace and there can be no doubt that with proper fostering, baseball can be brought to the front again in all its pristine glory. The game is far from dead. The very leaders in active outdoor sports—and reference is here made to the big University organizations—have undertaken the game this season with renewed vigor. They are bent upon displaying talent and skill on the diamond as well as on the gridiron field. They have, it will be observed, at both of the big institutions, Berkeley and Stanford, developed a lover for the game that gives promise of fairly rivalling football itself.

The nines at each institution are being organized of the very best material in the universities. The interest that is being manifested in this direction is best illustrated by the following from a local paper, which is watching the course of events at Berkeley with an eagle eye. "Baseball," says the writer, "is all the rage at the University at present. Such interest has not been manifested in the national game by the University students for years. Football has been crowded to the wall. Stanford has been supreme in baseball so long that the University boys are tiring of the monotony. They intend to break the spell this season if possible, and give the men of the cardinal hue something to do when they meet on the diamond."

There will also be a series of interfraternity games and the rivalry between the "frat" organizations is so keen that there is no question that some very exciting contests will take place. The national game has undoubtedly taken a strong hold among the college men and this is significant, for there are no more loyal supporters of any legitimate, clean and fair sport than these same University boys. It is a satisfactory showing as far as it goes for baseball there.

The same condition of affairs can be noted outside of the two departments mentioned. There appears in all amateur circles at least to be a general revival. The game has been buried in the oblivion of an unhallowed past so long that attempts to resuscitate it have been few and in a great measure little more than perfunctory. The great necessity for keeping any sport on a clean basis to make it popular is of as much importance to the baseball enthusiast as to the yachtsman, the rower, the runner or any one else. The demand today is for fair sport, and it should always be borne in mind that the line of demarcation that separates the professional world from the amateur should be so broad that the verest tyro may view it and see the difference between the two. They can mix no better than oil and water. When it is attempted disaster has spread her wings and is ready to cast a lurid shadow over the whole proposition. This has been the experience of not a few who are now wiser for it. The Umpire cordially commends every effort, no matter how humble, to foster real, genuine sport. Professional pastimes, per se, are not objectionable. The methods too often employed by unscrupulous managers have more than once contributed to his downfall. Just so soon as patrons of any sport learn they have been tricked there is a howl of disgust.

It is therefore a thousand fold better to start aright. The reward has reached many already who have established sports, and especially baseball, on a more substantial basis. I doubt not now that the game, under proper management, could be made a splendid proposition for both the managers and the public. There is no question that the game is not dead. While a bad taste is left after last year's experience in San Francisco and Los Angeles, the fact remains that drastic methods will furnish the remedy. The game, under proper auspices, will flourish. The argument is that the unusual activity displayed by the amateurs will certainly lead to the strongest sort of ideas upon the baseball craze which seems to be developing slowly.

The live topic of the day is the barring out of the Olympic nine by the Pacific Amateur Athletic Association. The club has been ruled off on the grounds of professionalism.

Interest in the Venezuelan question is heightened to some extent by the article here appended:

Baseball has its admirers even in far-away Caracas, and although but recently established in the Venezuelan capital it is nevertheless well attended by the best society people of that metropolitan city. The grounds are kept in good condition and the players are enthusiastic. Light luncheon is served to patrons of the game.

Our South American friends could be imitated here without throwing any discredit on the game.

Indoor baseball continues to be the rage during the winter months in the East.

THE UMPIRE.

AL. LEAN RESIGNS.

He Will no Longer Instruct the Acme Men.

A gloom hovers over the Acme gymnasium for the genial gymnastic instructor, Al. Lean, will no longer train the boys of the winged acorn. Al tendered his resignation last night. He will devote his entire time in the future to the Reliance Club and his private classes.

Lean has been instructor at the club for three years and in that time made friends with every member of the club. Some of the stoutest muscle in the club is the result of his instruction and the best athletes owe their long list of medals to him. So it is that the boys feel sorry to see him go. The resignation is the result of several causes, chiefly financial on the Acme side. Van Court is now left alone as boxing instructor. The athletes who are already proficient will impart their knowledge to the uninitiated.

The bicycle men are working hard to get in trim for the twenty-five mile road race, to be held over the San Leandro triangle on Washington's birthday. The Acme boys won the silver trophy last year, and will try to duplicate the performance this season, as the club winning the trophy three times has final possession of it. Much of the training is in the form of baseball. The Acme wheelmen, under Captain Swain, will be well represented in the newly organized league. Among the most prominent players are Gallinger, Smith, Agnew, Ruppert and Swain.

The regular baseball team is rather discouraged at the treatment of the Olympic nine. Though their enthusiasm is not lessened it is dampened. The boys will not do much for a couple of weeks. Captain Donovan received news yesterday that makes the athletic park an assured thing. Without a doubt the track will be constructed and at last there will be an athletic park on this side of the bay.

A BIG SUCCESS.

Financial Results of the "7-20-8" Show.

The Reliance Club is jubilant over the financial as well as the social success of "7-20-8." Between $1,200 and $1,500 clear was realized from the show. This places the club squarely on its feet and repays it for aiding charity as it has in so many ways.

On Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings Instructor Lean is on hand to train the athletes. The wheelmen are taking advantage of the opportunity and working regularly to get in form for the twenty-five mile road race. Captain Griffiths will put a strong team in the field equal to if not better than last year's. Great things are expected of the Reliance team this year.

The juvenile class is booming. Tuesday afternoons and Saturday mornings the youngsters turn out to enjoy the gym under proper instruction. Some good athletes will be the result of this early training.

The date of the ladies' night is not yet set, but it will be held in February. The boys are practicing for the event and will give a fine exhibition.

REGATTA ON THE LAKE.

A Big Project for Washington's Birthday.

The Washington's birthday celebration committee has in view a great boating regatta on Lake Merritt. Soundings have been made over a course that has been laid out by S. J. Penbroke who has the arrangements for the regatta in charge and everything has been found satisfactory in that regard. The races will take place in the afternoon. So far as arranged there will be a four-oared barge contest between crews from the South End, Ariel, Pioneer, Dolphin and possibly Alameda rowing clubs. Several single scull races will bring out a good number of competitors while efforts are being made for a race between the University and the Columbia clubs' four-oared barge crews.

The course will be a mile with a turn.

CYCLING TOPICS.

Newsy Items From the Wheelmen's Corner.

The changeable gear for bicycles is coming more and more into vogue and will be used to a large extent the ensuing season. When the rider understands and appreciates that he can have a high and low gear on his wheel with able opportunity to use either at will it is pretty certain that he will avail himself of the opportunity and not overtax himself climbing steep hills with a high gear.

Rust will come in the best regulated cycle establishment. The following is a good way of removing it. First grease it well, let it stand for a day or two, then rub it briskly with a cloth moistened with ammonia. If this does not quite remove it, wash carefully with a weak solution of hydrochloric acid, drying thoroughly with a cloth, and polish with a soft leather being very careful to remove all traces of the acid from the metal.

Some time ago the League of American Wheelmen set its ban on races for women and the racing board has not swerved from that path. The recent performance at Madison Square Garden in New York was discountenanced by the press and public and illustrated that competition among female bicycle riders is not an edifying spectacle and does not elevate the sport. Some move will undoubtedly be made at the National Assembly for the future suppression of such performances.

Electricity will prove an important factor in the construction of the bicycle in a few years. The current that has revolutionized light will be employed in turning wheels some day and it is even now being put to a practical use in the bicycle lamp. Inventors have been busy evolving the electric bicycle lamp and they have been successful. Now the rider will do away with his oil lamp for the electric lamp has supplanted it. It is such a simple contrivance that its benefits can readily be measured.

Of the records Johnson made in '94 but one remains. During the season when Johnson started his record smashing at Chillicothe, O., for E. C. Sterns & Co., he pushed every mark up to five miles and was the undisputed champion of the year. But new ideas in the construction of the bicycle, improved tracks and more thorough pacemakers have effected a remarkable change in the record table of the present date. When Johnson rode an unpaced quarter mile from a standing start in 28 seconds it approximated any feat on the wheel for the year and has stood to this day without a parallel. Dozens of riders have attempted to lower it since '94 and none have succeeded. The record does not sound very big but it was a great effort at the time and will live as a triumph until some stronger and speedier rider lowers it.

ARRANGED THEIR SCHEDULE

The Wheelmen's Baseball Nine Ready to Play.

The Inter Cycle Baseball League which includes nines from the leading cycling clubs on both sides of the bay, has arranged a schedule of games for the season.

There are eight clubs in the league and each club will play seven games during the season. The games are to begin March 1st, the second date is March 15th after which there is an interval until April 12th owing to the annual relay taking place on April 5th, after which there will be a game every two weeks. The place of each game is left to the selection of the captains of the various clubs who are to arrange the same in connection with joint runs.

The following is the schedule as arranged:

March 1st—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Alameda Cyclers; California Cycling Club vs. Diamond Cycling Club; Garden City Cyclers vs. Olympic Cyclers; Imperial Cycling Club vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen.

March 15th—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Olympic Cyclers, California Cycling Club vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen, Garden City Cyclers vs. Alameda Cyclers; Imperial Cycling Club vs. Diamond Cycling Club.

April 12th—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Diamond Cycling Club; California Cycling Club vs. Alameda Cyclers; Garden City Cyclers vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen; Imperial Cycling Club vs. Olympic Cyclers.

April 26th—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen; California Cycling Club vs. Olympic Cyclers; Garden City Cyclers vs. Diamond Cycling Club; Imperial Cycling Club vs. Alameda Cyclers.

May 10th—California Cycling Club vs. Acme Club Wheelmen, Garden City Cyclers vs. Imperial Cycling Club; Olympic Club Wheelmen vs. Alameda Cyclers; Diamond Cycling Club vs. Olympic Cyclers.

May 24th—Imperial Cycling Club vs. Acme Club Wheelmen, Garden City Cyclers vs. California Cycling Club, Olympic Cyclers vs. Alameda Cyclers; Olympic Club Wheelmen vs. Diamond Cycling Club.

June 7th—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Garden City Cyclers; Imperial Cycling Club vs. California Cycling Club, Alameda Cyclers vs. Diamond Cycling Club; Olympic Cyclers vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen.

Every player must be an amateur. That is he must be a wheelman in Class A. No member of any nine will be eligible unless he shall have belonged to one of the clubs represented before January 25th. The league promises to be one of the biggest successes of the year in amateur sports.

DUCK SHOOTING ENDING.

The Sportsmen's Season Drawing to a Close.

The open season for ducks and quails will close Saturday, February 15th. The marshes have become covered with fresh water by the recent overflows from the rivers and sport is on the wane. The season along the Alameda marshes from San Lorenzo south is about ended. Few hunters are making any big bags. The largest last Sunday was five. The same reports are made from Sonoma and the upper end of the bay.

ENCINAL YACHT CLUB.

Successful Opening of Their New Quarters.

The members of the Encinal Yacht Club of Alameda celebrated the opening of their new quarters last Friday evening with a reception and dance. The event was entirely informal. A large number of the members and their friends enjoyed the evening.

HOMING PIGEONS RACE.

First-Class Time Made by an Alameda Bird.

One of the most interesting events in the sporting line was the 100 mile carrier pigeon race on Sunday last from Marysville to San Francisco and Alameda. Five pigeons started from Marysville and the best time was 3 hours and 37 minutes. T. W. Leydecker's pigeon of Alameda was the winner and its owner secures the gold medal and cash prize offered by the Alameda Poultry and Pigeon Association.

CHANGED THE COURSE.

The Relay Finish Is Now Located in Alameda.

The Associated Cycling Clubs, under whose auspices the annual 100 mile relay race is run over the San Francisco, San Jose and Oakland course, has made some changes in the route that will direct the riders on the finish to Alameda instead of East Oakland as heretofore. The relay course has been changed so that the finish will be at Morton street on the Encinal. The racers will turn at High street and go thence to Central avenue. The change has been made in order that the hill climbing near the East Oakland finish may be avoided.

REGATTA FOR ROWERS.

University Men Are Preparing for Spring.

The University Boating Association is making arrangements for a regatta to be held in April. Captain W. E. Cole says the programme includes a number of single and double races, besides class contests. A silver cup for the winner of the latter is proposed.

The fire which destroyed the association boat house on Sessions basin and likewise burned all the boats, did not discourage the members in the least. They set to work to rebuild and have now a new house well fitted, but not quite so commodious as the old one. Two single sculls of latest improved pattern have been purchased and another four oared scull will be procured.

HIGH SCHOOL PRACTICE.

Baseball Is Now the Topic of Interest.

The High School boys under Captain Lynch held their first baseball practice yesterday. Baseball will be an important factor in athletics this term. In it, as in football, the Oakland High School lads have seldom if ever tasted defeat. Ed Lynch is a worker. He has some good material to handle and should turn out an invincible team.

On Saturday the low and high Seniors will play a match game at Twelfth and Madison streets. Class competition runs high and a close game is expected. The Y. M. C. A. has kindly offered its benches now in Mills Tabernacle for the accommodation of visitors. Consequently the boys are looking forward to having their contest witnessed by some of the fair sex.

Joe Rosborough is captain of the High and Ed Lynch of the Low Seniors. Among Rosborough's men are Doretty, Shuey, McClymonds, Harry, Chickering, Cloud, Brook, Numma. The low seniors will be represented by the following: Ed Lynch, Olney, Lloyd, Creed, Hoffman, Green, Shorkley and others.

The Santa Cruz football team has published that it could not get a game with the Oakland High School and that in consequence the latter team had no right to the Academic championship. They sent a challenge to the Oakland school in January. As the Oakland team disbanded last term and many of its players left school it was not thought advisible to meet the Santa Cruz eleven until next season. A letter explaining the situation and asking for an athletic contest, has been sent to the sea side city. As the Santa Cruz lads have always played fair it is thought that they will accept the situation and also the challenge.

THE WIND FAILED.

A Postponement of the Oakland Navy Race.

The second race of the Oakland Navy, that took place on the estuary last Sunday was not sailed. The boats got away under a fresh breeze at 1.30 P. M. but had covered only a third of the course when the wind failed and none of the boats could make the distance within the required two hours. The following boats were entered for the race: Mirth, white class cruiser; Amelia, class racer; Hurricane, red class cruiser; Bert, red class cruiser; Nautilus, red class cruiser; Annie, red class cruiser, Codla, red class racer; Sophia, red class racer; Brownie, red class racer.

The race was declared off and was postponed until February 16th at 2 P. M.

BASEBALL PRACTICE.

Y. M. C. A. Players Are Getting Into Form.

A number of baseball players turned out last Saturday to the first practice of the Y. M. C. A. Ed Lynch in behalf of the association obtained permission from the Merritt estate to use the lot on Twelfth and Madison streets. There is but one stipulation. No one must be allowed to play there on Sundays.

The proposition of leasing the lot and building a track is discussed. Such a track is needed and all hope that the directors may see their way clear to construct it.

CRESCENT ATHLETES.

They Are About to Entertain Their Lady Friends.

The Crescent Athletic Club of Berkeley will give a "ladies' night" tomorrow evening at the club rooms in Odd Fellows' Hall, Berkeley. The programme will include an athletic exhibition. Musical features both vocal and instrumental will be interspersed. Refreshments will be served and dancing will be in order.

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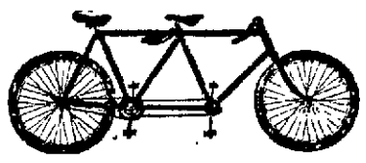

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Editor Tribune—Sir:

"Many things impossible to thought
Have been by need to full perfection brought."

That is what's the matter with the Twelfth street dam, Mr. Editor. The good street is much needed, and it will be to "perfection brought" by the City Council, who, together with the Mayor, are gallantly standing in with us of the Seventh ward in our fight for better roads. Councilman Buckland desires not only to put Twelfth street in perfect order, but he is also in favor of having the rails of the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company taken entirely from the Twelfth street dam and moved to Eleventh street, where the Alameda Electric Company crosses the estuary. This would give us a clear, unobstructed roadway across the dam, which is just exactly what we are fighting for and expect to get.

Twelfth street is the main and only thoroughfare into Oakland from the eastward. It ought to be cleared of railroad iron and all other obstructions and dedicated to the people's use, to whom it properly belongs, and not given over to a corporation which has no interest in Oakland whatever except to gobble every nickel it can fasten its fingers upon belonging to the long suffering and deluded Oaklander. Why, the car company won't even keep the street in order between and on each side of the tracks, as the law says it shall. The good, smooth, safe roadway is the poor man's recreation ground, to ride, drive and walk upon.

We of the Seventh ward have suffered long and patiently, but have awakened at last to our rights and insist upon having them. It is our right to use Twelfth street without danger to life and limb. Surely there is nothing unfair in asking for this much.

The City Council, very justly recognizing the right of the people to the use of the Twelfth street dam, exclusive of railroad tracks, will no doubt proceed at once to regain possession of the street, clear it of obstructions and put it in order for the benefit of the walking and driving public. Moving continually in one groove becomes in time a habit. There is an old saying that "habits are at first a hair, at last a cable." If we of the Seventh ward had commenced our agitation years ago for a good, clear, unobstructed street from Broadway to East Oakland, it would have been done ere this, but we permitted ourselves to go to sleep and finally drifted into the habit of submission to things as they were. The frightful condition of Twelfth street remained with us so long, and we submitted so gently, that at last the pest spot which was at first a hair grew upon us until it became a cable which requires much effort to break. But, with the assistance of the Mayor and Council, we will rupture the cable, even "if it takes all summer to do it."

We of the Seventh have been bottled up so long that it will seem good to be able to get out once more and mingle freely with our fellow citizens of the other wards of Oakland proper. We are enlisted for the war and propose to stay with it to the end and until we have the unobstructed street we ask for. Our ward, the Seventh, is the largest in the city. We poll more votes than other wards. We are the most beautiful part of Oakland. Our women are as handsome and our song as stalwart as in other wards of our city. Why then should we not be permitted to ask and receive for ourselves equal and exact justice?

The only thing the matter with the Seventh ward is her disreputable and beastly Twelfth street. We of the Seventh ask for nothing more than what we are justly entitled to. I am certain that reasonable people will not say we are requesting too much when we ask for one good, unobstructed roadway, clear of car tracks, so that women and children, as well as timid men, can with safety drive in and out of Oakland eastward. We do ask this, as we are entitled to it, and we are satisfied that our City Council, being composed of reasonable men, will grant this our just request and proceed at once to give it full force and effect.

Some timid people say: "Well, the electric car company has possession of Twelfth street; how are you going to oust it?" Easy enough. Where two people enter into a contract with each other to do certain things, and one of the contracting parties fails utterly to carry out a most essential part of his agreement, then the contract becomes void and of no binding force on the other party.

The Haywards and San Leandro Electric Company, when it received its franchise from the city of Oakland to lay down its track and operate its road on Twelfth street, had to enter into the following agreement with the city, and which is the general law of the State governing the granting of all franchises whatsoever to any and all street railroad companies. This law, too, you will observe, is full of protection to the citizen provided the officials do their duty in the premises. Section 498, subdivision 2 of the Civil Code reads as follows, referring to the street railroad companies: "To plank, pave or macadamize the entire length of the street used by their tracks, between rails and for two feet on each side thereof, and between the tracks, if there be more than one and to keep the same constantly in repair, flush with the street and with good crossings."

Does the Haywords and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company do that? Not at all. Its tracks are six inches above the level of the street the entire length of the Twelfth street dam. Its failure to keep the tracks level with the street is a violation of its contract with the city, and the city has the power and ought to annul the contract made between it and the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company.

"Ah, yes; but how is that to be done?" Easy enough. Section 73 of the charter of the city of Oakland reads as follows: "The board (meaning the Board of Public Works) shall appoint a Superintendent of Streets, whose duty shall be to see that the laws (meaning the general laws of the State), ordinances and regulations relating to public streets and highways be fully carried into execution and the penalties thereof rigidly enforced."

Now, it must have come to the knowledge of the Superintendent of Streets that the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company is violating its contract with the city when it refuses to put Twelfth street dam in order between and on each side of its tracks. What, then, is the duty of the Superintendent of Streets? Why, report the delinquent street car company, with all the detailed facts of its failure to comply with the law, to the City Attorney, who, in turn, under section 46 of the charter, should at once, under the direction of the City Council, commence suit to annul the franchise of the offending corporation. Prompt action on these lines would very soon bring the arrogant violators of the law to their senses. Here, you see, is an easy and natural way of getting the tracks from off the Twelfth street dam.

I am in favor of having all the street car lines possible coming into Oakland, but I am not in favor of giving up to them all and every street for railroad purposes. The people are entitled to one safe, unobstructed road or street from Broadway to East Oakland, and the Council should and no doubt will give it to us.

After the franchise of the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad has been annulled and set aside by the courts, then the city could grant to it the right of way to run its cars over the trestle built by the Alameda Electric Railroad Company across the estuary at Eleventh street from Oak street to Third avenue. This could be done under section 499 of the Civil Code, relating to the granting of franchises to street railroads, which reads as follows: "Two corporations may be permitted to use the same street each paying an equal portion for the construction of the track, but in no case must two railroad corporations occupy and use the same street and track for a distance of more than five blocks." Now here is an easy and just solution of the question of the removal of the tracks from the Twelfth street dam. We of the Seventh ward call upon the Superintendent of Streets, the Council and the City Attorney of Oakland to help us in this matter. All they will have to do is to perform their sworn duty.

Have they the moral courage to do it? The merchants, too, of Oakland ought to see that it would be to their interest to have one unobstructed road (wagon road I mean, not railroad) into Oakland from the east. Women are not likely to risk their own lives and those of their children by driving into Oakland to do their shopping, if there is danger of a capsize and runaway by reason of an electric car whizzing past them every few moments. What they will do, however, is this—quietly take a car and go to San Francisco to do their trading. Can the merchants of Oakland blame them for doing so? Many a lady with her little children would delight to drive her horse and buggy into our city to do her buying could it be done with safety. Can she do it in justice to herself and children? Not at all. Therefore, merchants of Oakland, especially the Board of Trade help us get this good safe wagon road (not railroad) over the Twelfth street dam into Oakland from the eastward. Call a meeting of your organization and consider the matter, and after having done so, petition to your Council to clear off Twelfth street from all railroad tracks and have it put in perfect condition for driving upon. This is the only way for you gentlemen to regain the lost traffic from the east side. We desire to trade with you, but cannot reach you, by reason of the more than beastly condition of the only street leading from East Oakland into Oakland proper. We are bottled up.

It seems to me that the whole question has resolved itself down to just this: "Is the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company greater than the Seventh ward? Which is of the most consequence to the city of Oakland? If the electric railroad is then we had better cut ourselves loose and go back into the old organization known as "Brooklyn." We were taxed less, were happier and had better streets under the old regime.

We propose to keep up the fight for a good roadway into East Oakland across the dam until we are recognized and get that road. And if any man or set of men stand in our way, we will try and convert them.

It is somewhat of a surprise to us of the Seventh ward that the Tribune is the only paper which takes any interest in us and has a good word in favor of the street improvement we are asking for. What is the matter with the Times and the Enquirer? Have they no interest in the Seventh ward? I hope this neglect on their part is not intentional. We are a very large spot in Oakland, gentlemen, and are worthy of your consideration. Kindly take a whiff of the oxygen that is now flying about, brighten up your ideas and say a good—aye, many good words for us of the Seventh ward. He who is not for us is against us.

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Father and Son Set Free at Asheville, N. C.

Little Charley Fogleman Used Tobacco Since Babyhood, and His Father Smoked and Chewed for the Past Twenty Years.

"Is that true?" asked the News' man at Pelham's Pharmacy, as he laid down a letter in the presence of a dozen interested customers.

"Yes, it is," promptly answered the proprietor. "It was written here on one of our letterheads, and signed by J. C. Fogleman, who lives at No. 5 Buxton street. We all know he is a man of his word."

"I am glad to hear it. You will agree with me that it is almost too good to be true. This is what the letter said:

"Office of Pelham's Pharmacy, 24 Patton avenue, Asheville, N. C., September 12, 1894.—Gentlemen: My little boy, now 8 years, began chewing tobacco when 3 years old by the advice of our family physician, in the place of stronger stimulants. Four or five weeks ago I began giving him No-To-Bac, which I bought at Pelham's Pharmacy, and to my great surprise, and, it is needless to say, my delight, No-To-Bac completely cured him. He does not seem to care for tobacco, and is very much improved in health, eats heartily and has a much better color.

"Finding such remarkable results from the use of No-To-Bac I began myself, and it cured me, after using tobacco, in all its various forms, for a period of twenty years.

"I take pleasure in making this plain statement of facts for the benefit of others.

(Signed) J. C. FOGLEMAN."

"What's that?" asked Chief of Police Hawkins, whose manly form attired in the new police uniform, like Solomon in all his glory, came to the door.

"Why, No-To-Bac cures!"

"Cures?" Why, I should say so. I have used it myself. It cured me."

"Would you object to making a statement of the fact for publication?"

"Certainly not," and the Chief wrote as follows:

"Asheville, N. C., Sept. 25, 1894.—Pelham's Pharmacy—I bought one box of No-To-Bac from you some time since. After using No-To-Bac I found I had lost the desire for tobacco. I was cured.

"I have used tobacco—chiefly chewing—for eight (8) or ten (10) years.

"H. S. HAWKINS."

Everybody looked astonished and wondered what would next turn up.

"Suppose it don't cure?" someone asked.

"Then you get your money back," replied the druggist. "No-To-Bac is made by The Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago, Montreal and New York, and as sterling in character as in name. By them every druggist in America is authorized to sell No-To-Bac under an absolute guarantee to cure or money refunded. They always do the square thing. Here, read their famous booklet, 'Don't Tobacco Spit and in it.'"

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Harold L. Martin and his young bride returned yesterday from their honeymoon to San Jose.

Mrs. J. C. Scott of San Diego with her son Harold, contemplates a visit to this city and San Francisco.

Rev. M. Willett of East Oakland returned from a visit to Santa Cruz yesterday morning. Mr. Willett used to be a pastor in Santa Cruz and last Sunday occupied his old pulpit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Grassell of Alameda left today for Portland, Oregon, where Mr. Grassel intends to go into business. Their sons Fred and C. F., both well known in this city, will remain at their present residence.

Alfred Kane of San Francisco has purchased a lot in Golden Gate, where he will build a handsome residence.

Rev. Edwards Davis has recovered sufficiently from his illness to be about again.

Miss L. Stone of Gilroy is the guest of her brother, Contractor Stone of this city.

The Oakland Society Dancing Club will hold its Eighth social dance in the club rooms, College Hall, Twelfth and Harrison streets, this evening.

H. B. Pasmore's lecture on "Singing" at Hamilton Hall last night was largely attended.

Miss Marion Taylor will make her first public appearance since her return from Europe at the Carr-Beel concert to be given next Saturday at Golden Gate Hall. Miss Taylor has undoubted talent, which has been developed by such noted teachers as Madame Marchest and Georges Matty.

The concert of the Sunday School orchestra, First Congregational church, on Friday evening, promises to be unusually fine. The program will be as follows: Overture, "Semiramide;" (a) Romance, duo for flute and French horn, Henry M. Fluss, A. P. Leach, (b) Manzanillo, "Mexican Dance;" soprano solo (a) "Love in Idleness," (b) "Mandolinata," fantasies, "Dream Pictures," with zither solo by Miss Josephine Blessing, piano solo, "Capriccio Brilliant," with orchestral accompaniment, Miss Bessie M. Clannell. Part II—Walther's Preis Lied, "Die Meistersingers;" violin solo played by all the first violins with harp and orchestral accompaniment; cornet solo, fantasie, "The Favorite," with orchestral accompaniment, C. W. Crabtree; tenor solo, W. M. Simonser; march, orchestra and Oakland amateur concert band, soprano solo (a) "Bolero," (b) "The Merry Maidens," Miss Sofia Newland; two dances, from the Suite, "From all Nations," (a) Spanish (b) Hungarian, orchestra, harp and piano.

Rev. Dr. R. F. Coyle, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, was tendered a reception last evening in the church parlors. The entertainment was to celebrate the sixth anniversary of his pastorate. At 6 o'clock the brigade hall adjoining the church was thrown open. Long tables prettily decorated filled the large room. On them was spread a sumptuous banquet to which 500 did justice. During the evening Dr. Coyle was presented with a handsome Morocco arm chair, from the Pastor's League and Pastors' Aid Society. He accepted the present with a neat address in which he thanked his congregation for their kindness.

Miss Gretchen Burnett at last Sunday's exercises in St. Paul's Episcopal church in the absence of the vested choir, sang "O Rest in the Lord," from "Elijah," with much sweetness and effect. The singing was by request and displayed a voice of so much promise that leading vocal instructors assert she is capable of attaining to much distinction in the lyric world.

Nettie Laymance, leading milliner, 955 Broadway.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

TUESDAY, February 4, 1896.

Jose S. Damos to Antonio V. Fereira, all int S Montgomery 225 E Summit E 25 x S 100, lot 10, blk I, New Town of Lynn, Q. C. D., $5.

Antonio V. Fereira to Jose S. Damos, all int S Montgomery 200 E Summit E 25 x S 100, lot 9, blk I, same, Q. C. D., $5.

Frank M. and Mary Donnoran to Felix Marcuse, E Wood 115 N Railroad av N 35 x E 100, ptn lots 35 and 36, blk I, Chapin tct, $10.

Mary and Frank M. Donnovan to same, same, $10.

Mandel Levy to Hannah Levy, W Adeline 144 S Fifth S 37-6 x W 128-3, being lot 34 and ptn lot 33, blk 477, Briggs tract, reserving to Meyer Levy right to use water from well and tank on said premises, $10.

Margaret Craik Wilkie by Bozo Radovich, attorney, to Joan N. G. Hunter, all real and personal property in decree Joan N. G. Hunter vs. Harmon J. Tilden, et al., No. 42,100; all real and personal ppty in estate David Hunter, No. 13,251, grant.

Mary Craik by Ignatz Steinhart and P. N. Lilienthal, attys, to same, same, grant.

Geo. Methven by same attys to same, same, grant.

Ellen Methven Stewart to same, same, grant.

Betsy Webster to same, same, grant.

Jennie Hunter Methven Crichton to same, same, grant.

Denis Donohoe, James Keith Robertson by T. E. K. Cormac and Denis Donohe Jr., to same, same, grant.

Joan N. G. Hunter to Harry and Max Silverstein, S Sixth 125 E Jefferson E 37-6 x S 100, lot 12, blk 52, $10.

L. L. M. and Emily W. Salsbury to A. J. Smithson, lots 61 and 62, Piedmont Villa tract, subj to a mtge for $1022, $10.

Caroline Baldwin to Sherman C. Baldwin, W Morton 225 N Kings av W 150 x N 50, blk 2, Fitch tract, $5060.

Carrie S. Alden by atty to Wm. Rae, lots 42 and 43, blk B, amended map Christiana tract, $350.

Frank and Catherine Loretz to Chas. and Bridget Christensen, lot 3, blk 36, tract B, Berkeley L. & T. I. Association, $10.

Fruitvale Land Co. to Patrick Britt, W Cleveland av 150 N Twelfth N 25 x W 120, blk C, Huntington tract, $190.

Chas. Babb to Elizabeth C. Van Winkle, N Bay av 140.138 NE from E cor Lake Shore av and Bay av NE 125-6 NW 80 SW to beg, being lot 38, ppty of Capitol Hld Assn, $10.

Harriet E. Tharp to Eugene H. Tharp, 10.37 acres, being the same ppty conveyed by Arthur and Mary U. Sumner to first party and recorded in 268 d 347; 2 acres adjoining above and being the same ppty conveyed by J. H. Dorety to first party by deed dated May 13, 1886, and recorded in 365 d 335, gift.

E. H. Tharp to Ernest L. Campbell, 12.37 acres, being same 2 pieces previously described (10.37 acres and 2 acres), $10.

Wm. Frakes to Franz Haera, 1 acre beg at NW cor lands of Rawe on E side Rose av th NW 3.17 chs x NE 3.17 chs, ptn plot 44, Ro El Valle de San Jose, $10.

Eugene Barsac et al., by commr, to G. A. Williams, 10 acres beg at a pt in center line Co. road survey No. 1408, 5 chs E of SW cor plot K, Ro Las Positas, th N 20 chs x E 5 chs, ptn said plot K, $1194.

Forrest S. Rowley to Betsy Meyer, SW Nineteenth and Cypress W 122-9 S 52-4½ W 14-3 S 25-4½ E 136 N 104-9, $10.

Betsy Meyer to Edward Arents, same, $10.

Mrs. M. A. March to Jas. Stewart, W Curtis 62-6 S Lydia st S 37-6 x W 100, blk I, Curtis & Williams tract, $10.

Jas. Henderson to Matilda Henderson, NW Twenty-seventh av 75 SW East Tenth st SW 25 x NW 75, blk O, Knowles & Potter sub Kennedy tct, E Pine 56-4 S Taylor S 27 x E 90, blk 695, gift.

Mary J. Veitch, formerly Knowles, to Wm. A. Knowles, all int in Broadway Terrace tract, Q. C. D., $10.

Wm. Sample to Robert D. Sample, lots 19 and 20, blk C, Lincoln Park, subj to mtge for $300, $10.

Wm. and Mary Norman to Gottlob Reinhardt, lots 10 to 13, blk A, Everett tract, $10.

Jas. Henderson to Matilda Henderson, W Willow st 50 N Railroad av N 50-2 x W 100, blk 10, ppty of J. D. Thompson, gift.

Eunice L. Brewster to Mary F. Delanoy, NE Grand st and Encinal av E 100 x 5, subj to mtge to German S. & L. Soc'y for $1100, $10.

When tired and thirsty, for rest, a nice bit of lunch and a cool drink, go to Earl & Martin's wine rooms, 467 Tenth street, between Broadway and Washington.

A SHORT SESSION.

Civic Matters Up Before the Board of Public Works.

The Mayor and City Attorney met last night as the Board of Public Works, the city engineer being unavoidably absent.

They accepted the invitation to participate in the Washington birthday parade.

To the committee of the whole, which will meet next Friday night, they sent the following matters:

Robert Schulz' application for landscape gardener for the public parks; the petition of E. Bushnell and others to have the gutters near the blind home bridged over.

The resolution directing the repair of the Kirkham street sewer south of Fifth street was referred to the superintendent of streets.

The bids for furnishing blankets were referred to the committee of the whole.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

A Meeting of the Society for the Furtherance of Humanity.

At the meeting of the Alameda County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals last night, it was reported that 44 cases had been attended to during the month and that ten worthless horses had been killed.

The contribution of $50 from the Oakland Exposition Association was accepted with thanks.

The new badges of the society, consisting of a silver shield on which is engraved a horse's head and the initials of the organization, were distributed among the members, Dr. Wendte receiving the first.

Tradesmen to Move.

The Federation of Trades has decided to move from its present headquarters on Washington street near Eighth where it has been quartered for a long time, but has not yet selected another place.

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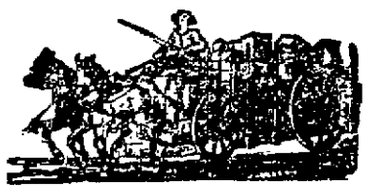

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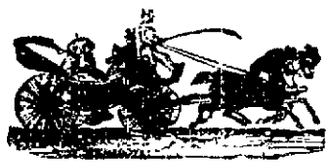

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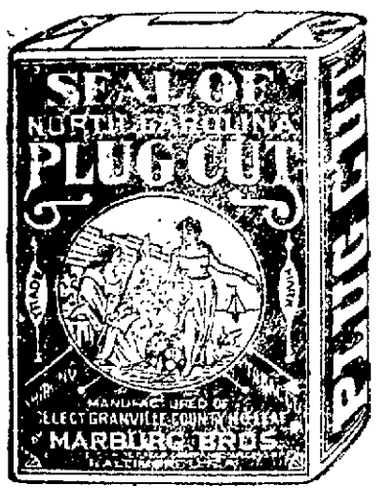

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Students Disappointed at the Action of the Co-eds.

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ROAD WORK SOON STARTS.

The Wood-Choppers Rapidly Removing the Big Trees.

BERKELEY, Feb 4.—The co-eds will not serve luncheon to the perspiring student laborers. It was so decided yesterday at a meeting in Stiles hall presided over by Millicent W. Shinn. Undergraduates, graduate students and alumnae were present, and the majority of them concluded the boys could leave the campus long enough to get their luncheon without seriously interfering with the progress of the work.

The time of the meeting was pleasantly spent passing motions and then reconsidering and voting them down. The alumnae wanted it, but the co-eds now in college didn't, so everything was debated and everybody had a motion.

The expense bounded from $100 up to $300, and after a while the motions were focused on the question of expense. It was the sense of the meeting that $300 could be put to a more substantial and lasting use than in buying provender for several hundred hungry students. Various suggestions as to what the money would buy besides a luncheon were made and proved to be quite a factor in deciding the motion finally presented.

Much disappointment is felt among the students over the decision. The majority of them were looking forward to it with great pleasure. The "Berkeleyan" heartily supported the idea and had a big editorial entitled "He Who Works Must Eat," but now all hopes have been dashed to the ground.

WHEN WORK BEGINS

Not many days more will elapse before the students begin their labor. The wood-choppers have about finished their task, and have removed several large fir trees from the line of the path. The students are consequently anticipating some word from Regent Reinstein every day regarding the exact date of the work. The Regents' bulletin board will be eagerly scanned until a notice appears. All that now remains to be done is to chop down one or two large oaks and the way is clear for the path.

CARNOT DEBATE.

The Carnot debate between the Universities of California and Stanford will be held on Friday evening in Stiles hall. The men who are to represent California are still studying hard and reading widely in French political works. The debaters are compelled this year to become thoroughly conversant with both sides of the question, as they will not be given a choice of sides beforehand. The object of this is to cultivate the faculty of spontaneity, which is foremost in Eastern institutions. California is more than usually confident, and a great crowd of her followers will attend Friday night.

THE LICENSE COMMITTEE.

The special license committee met in the Town Hall Monday night to confer with the merchants and teamsters who are affected by the license imposed upon teams, and signed a protest against it. Nothing definite was decided, but the committee will be able to report intelligently at the next meeting of the Trustees. What the merchants wanted was an equalization and reduction of the tax, and although the Trustees think it just the way it now stands, they will probably concede what is asked for.

SCARLET FEVER.

A scarlet fever scare has been started in Berkeley, but owing to the prompt action of Health Officer Rowell, nothing serious is expected. He was apprised of a case of scarlet fever in the family of Mr. Middlehoff, and quarantined the premises. To prevent its spreading in the Whittier school Dr. Rowell telephoned the principal to send him all children suffering from sore throat. His office was full of them in the afternoon, and they will not be allowed to return to school until perfectly well.

ROBBERY AT THE TANNERY.

Sneak thieves entered the tannery at the west end, and while the men were engaged in work, and made off with a suit of clothes. They proved a little better than a new suit of clothes, as $5 was in one of the pockets.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

Nominations for football manager were made today. The election will be held on Friday from 11 A. M. to 4 P. M.

The ladies of the faculty entertained the students at Stiles hall this afternoon. Quite a large number of students attended and enjoyed the opportunity of meeting the faculty socially.

The football eleven will meet Saturday and elect a captain. The candidates are Sherman and Ransom. It is difficult to say who stands the best chance.

Professor Le Conte lectured before the Academy of Science last Monday evening on James Dwight Dana, the eminent scientist who died last April.

The West Berkeley Progressive club meets tonight.

Col. Greenleaf's lecture arranged by Rev. E. B. Payne for Friday night has been postponed to make way for the Carnot debate.

The Crescent Athletic club is making great preparations for the ladies' night to be held tomorrow evening. A fine programme of boxing, wrestling and tumbling has been arranged.

The Board of Education is considering plans for a two-room addition to the Lorin school.

Laboratory students are objecting to a new regulation of the faculty appropriating surplus deposits for High school visitors to the laboratories. The deposits amounting from $12.50 to $20 are made to cover the actual cost of materials used in experiments, and heretofore the balance has been returned to depositors. Some students have had $6 or $7 returned to them at the end of a course, and they feel it an imposition to be in future deprived of their rebates.

OCEAN STEAMERS.

Dates of Departure From San Francisco.

Homer, Coos Bay, Feb. 6, 5 P. M.
Rio Janeiro, China and Japan, Feb. 6, 3 P. M.
Mariposa, Sydney, Feb. 6, 2 P. M.
Santa Rosa, San Diego, Feb. 7, 11 A. M.
Corona, Humboldt Bay, Feb. 7, 2 P. M.
Acapulco, Panama, Feb. 8, 12 M.
Arcata, Coos Bay, Feb. 8, 10 A. M.
Columbia, Portland, Feb. 8, 10 A. M.
St. Paul, Newport, Feb. 9, 9 A. M.
Coquille River, Coquille River, Feb. 9, 5 P. M.
Walla Walla, Victoria, etc., Feb. 9, 9 A. M.
Coos Bay, Mexico, Feb. 10, 10 A. M.
Mexico, San Diego, Feb. 11, 11 A. M.
State of California, Portland, Feb. 13, 10 A. M.

STEAMERS TO ARRIVE.

Columbia, Portland, Feb. 6.
Empire, Portland, Feb. 6.
Truckee, Tillamook, Feb. 6.
Corona, Humboldt Bay, Feb. 6.
St. Paul, Newport, Feb. 7.
Arago, Coos Bay, Feb. 7.
Arcata, Coos Bay, Feb. 7.
Zealandia, Panama, Feb. 8.
Gaelic, China and Japan, Feb. 8.
Eureka, Yaquina Bay, Feb. 8.
Australia, Honolulu, Feb. 8.
Mexico, San Diego, Feb. 9.
South Coast, Portland, Feb. 9.
San Benito, Tacoma, Feb. 9.
San Juan, Panama, Feb. 10.
Umatilla, Victoria, Feb. 10.
State of California, Portland, Feb. 10.
Alice Blanchard, Portland, Feb. 10.
Costa Rica, Departure Bay, Feb. 10.
Crescent City, Crescent City, Feb. 1.
Eureka, Newport, Feb. 11.
North Fork, Humboldt Bay, Feb. 11.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVED.
TUESDAY, February 4.

Str Willamette, Cushman, 3 days from Departure Bay; 2300 tons coal to Oregon Improvement Company.
Str Westport, Peterson, 60 hours from Bucoda; 5000 sacks barley, 700 sacks wheat, 4 cases eggs, to Field & Stone.
Str Al Ki, Patterson, 60 hours from Astoria; mdse, etc., to Goodall, Perkins & Company.
Ital war str Cristoforo Colombo, Bertolino, 9½ days from Esquimalt.
Ship Dashing Wave, Morehouse, 13 days from Tacoma, lumber and laths to Hanson & Co.
Ship Columbia, Nelson, 14 days from Seattle; 2270 tons coal to P. B. Cornwall.
Bark Rufus E. Wood, McLeod, 9 days from Nanaimo, 2200 tons coal to John Rosenfield's Sons.
Bktn North Bend, Wallace, 6 days from Wallipa Harbor; 400 M feet lumber to Simpson Lumber Co.

CLEARED.
TUESDAY, February 4.

Br str Wellington, Salmond, Nanaimo; R. Dalsmuir & Sons.
Str Eureka, Jepson, San Pedro; Goodall, Perkins & Co.
Str North Fork, Hansen, Eureka; Chas. Nelson.
Br ship Strathgryfe, Ritchie, Liverpool; Girvin & Eyre.

SAILED.
TUESDAY, February 4.

Str City of Puebla, Debney, Victoria and Port Townsend.
Str Wellington, Salmond, Nanaimo.
Str George Loomis, Bridgett, Ventura.
Str Mackinaw, Littlefield, Tacoma.
Str Gipsy, Leland, Santa Cruz.
Str Whitesboro, Johnson.
Str Jewel, Madsen, Caspar.
Bark Wilna, Slater, Nanaimo.

TELEGRAPHIC.

POINT LOBOS, February 4, 10 P. M.—Weather clear; wind NW; velocity 16 miles.

TRANS-ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

NEW YORK—Arrived Feb. 4, Fulda from Genoa and Naples.
Sailed Feb. 4, Lahn for Bremen.
QUEENSTOWN—Arrived out Feb. 4, Teutonic.
GIBRALTER—Arrived out Feb. 4, Burgundia from New York for Naples and Marseilles.
FUNCHAL—Arrived out Feb. 4, Fuerst Bismarck on excursion.
LIZARD—Passed Feb. 4, Veendam from New York for Rotterdam, Stuttgart from New York for Bremen, St. Louis from New York for Southampton.

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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
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Parlor furniture, bed lounges. They must be sold at once at H. Schellhaas', 408 Eleventh street.

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ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Tuolumne Mill and Mining Co. Location of principal place of business, Oakland, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the directors held on January 13, 1896, an assessment to be known as assessment No. 58, of twenty-five ($25) dollars per share, was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately to the secretary of the company at the company's office at Oakland Pier, Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 13th day of February, 1896, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and, unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 10th day of March, 1896, to pay the delinquent assessment together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

H. N. SLOPER,
Secretary Tuolumne Mill & Mining Co.
Office, Oakland Pier, Oakland, Cal.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the East Oakland Street Railroad Company will be held on Tuesday, February 4th, 1896, at No. 458 Ninth street, Oakland, Cal., at the hour of 3:30 o'clock P. M., for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing term.

W. P. MELVIN,
Secretary East Oakland Street R. R. Co.

LEGAL.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

ELIZABETH A. RODGERS, substituted as plaintiff in place of W. F. GOAD and A. W. FOSTER, as the executors of the last will of ALEXANDER MONTGOMERY, deceased,
Plaintiff,
vs.
JOHN AYLWARD, MICH MULLANY, JOSEPH WATERMAN, W. H. WRIGHT, HIRAM BAILEY, and BANK OF LIVERMORE, a corporation,
Defendants.
No. 5336 Dept No. 1

Under and by virtue of a writ issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, on the 1st day of February, 1896, in an action wherein Elizabeth A. Rodgers, substituted as plaintiff in place of W. F. Goad and A. W. Foster, as the executors of the last will of Alexander Montgomery, deceased, was plaintiff, and John Aylward, Mich Mullany, Joseph Waterman, W. H. Wright, Hiram Bailey and Bank of Livermore, a corporation, were defendants, and wherein the said plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against the defendants, on the 30th day of January, 1896, for the sum of $5336 50-100 in Gold Coin of the United States of America, and the further sum of $200, as attorney and counsel fees; and the further sum of $23 50-100 costs, with interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum on all of said amounts from date of said judgment, which said judgment was on the 30th day of January, 1896, recorded in Judgment Book No. 19, of the said Court, at page 496, I am commanded to sell in one parcel the following described lands and premises and property, to-wit:

All the said John Aylward's interest, claim, demand and property of, in and to the waters of the Creek known as Mocho, in Murray Township, County of Alameda, State of California, and all easements, rights of way, dams, ditches, reservoirs, pipes, flumes, gates, faucets, connections and appurtenances used in appropriating said waters or in conducting the same to the Town of Livermore, in said Township, or elsewhere.

And also all the water, water rights, pipes, flumes, lands, rights of way, and property of every description owned or used by the said defendant, John Aylward, in, belonging to, or in connection with, his water works in the Town of Livermore, and in or in connection with or belonging to the Las Positas Springs and Creek, in said Murray Township, and also all the lands and improvements which the said defendant John Aylward owns on the elevated grounds around or in proximity to the reservoirs and in appropriating said waters of Las Positas Springs and Creek, and which said property is more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

First:—A water right to the waters of the Las Positas Springs and Creek situate in the part of the Rancho Las Positas now or late belonging to Robert Livermore.

Second:—One-half acre of land about the said Springs and about Five Hundred and Twenty (520) feet to the east of the point where said Las Positas Creek passes over the line dividing the lands of Livermore from those of Arrecoechea.

Third:—A flume together with the right of way therefor passing over the lands now or late of Devamore Arrecoechea, Alvino Pacheco and Avila to the tract of land hereinafter described.

Fourth:—A certain tract of land in said Murray Township seven (7) acres in extent, in which is situate certain reservoirs and a boiler, pump and engine, which land is bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—Commencing at a stake on the easterly line of the County Road, running northerly from said Town of Livermore and known as Road Survey No. 1548, and at the northwest corner of a tract of land containing about 2 acres, conveyed by Mariano Avila and Charlotte his wife, to George Patter, running thence along said easterly line of said County Road north 3¾ degrees west four hundred and thirty-five (435) feet to a stake; thence at right angles north 86½ degrees east seven hundred (700) feet to a stake; thence at right angles south 3¾ degrees east four hundred and thirty-five (435) feet to a stake at the northeast corner of said tract of land conveyed to said George Patter; thence south 86½ degrees west along the northerly line of said tract, seven hundred (700) feet to the point of commencement.

Fifth:—A certain line of pipe with the right of way therefor, running from the tract of land last above described to and through the streets of the Town of Livermore.

Sixth:—A water right to the waters of the Arroyo Mocho from a point in the same at or about where said Arroyo Mocho crosses the line between sections five and eight, and at or a few yards east of the line between Sections seven (7) and eight (8), all of said sections being in Township four (4) south, of Range three (3) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Seventh:—The right of way over and the right to the waters of said Arroyo Mocho flowing over section six (6) in Township four (4) south, of Range three (3) east, Section one (1), in Township four (4) south, of Range two (2) east, Sections 36, 25 and 26, in Township three (3) south, of Range two (2) east, all of Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Eighth:—A water right to the waters of Arroyo Mocho from a point in the same where the flume herein ninthly described takes water therefrom.

Ninth:—A flume together with the right of way therefor passing over Sections 26, 23 and 22 in Township three (3) south, of Range two (2) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Tenth:—The northeasterly one acre of the southeast quarter (S. E. ¼) of Section 22, in Township three (3) south, of Range 2 east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Eleventh:—A certain line of pipe, with the right of way therefor, running from the tract last above described over Section twenty-two (22), in Township three (3) south, of Range two (2) east Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, and over the highway running along the northeast side of the Rancho El Valle de San Jose to and through the streets of the Town of Livermore. Also improvements consisting of water pipes, gas pipes, hydrants, etc.

Together with all and singular the tenements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Public notice is hereby given that on

THURSDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1896,

At 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, State of California, I will, in obedience to said writ and judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property to the highest bidder for Gold Coin of the United States.

W. S. HARLOW,
Commissioner.

Dated, Oakland, February 1, 1896.
Rodgers & Paterson, attorneys for plaintiff.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ESTATE OF JOHN W. COLEMAN, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Julia M. Coleman, administratrix of the estate of John W. Coleman, deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Julia M. Coleman, administratrix, at her residence, Number 754 Eighth Street, Oakland, Alameda County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the County of Alameda, State of California.

JULIA M. COLEMAN,
Administratrix of the Estate of John W. Coleman, deceased.

Dated at Oakland, Jan 29th, 1896.
John Garber, attorney for administratrix, 532 Market street, S. F.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ESTATE OF PAULINA SCHUBERT, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Paulina Schubert, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the office of Frederick E. Whitney, rooms 7 and 8, 906 Broadway, Oakland, Calif., which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Paulina Schubert, deceased.

WILLIAM H. KNIGHT,
Administrator of the estate of Paulina Schubert, deceased.

Dated Oakland, January 29th, 1896.
Frederick E. Whitney, attorney for administrator.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California,

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day, (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1896, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice of Hearing Before the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda of a Petition of A. P. Newbert and Others, for the Purpose of Regulating and Controlling the Charges for Water and Compensation to be Collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies in the County of Alameda, State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on the 9th day of March, 1896, at the Board rooms of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, City of Oakland, of said County, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day or as soon thereafter as the same can be heard, the petition of A. P. Newbert and others for the purpose of regulating and controlling the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies, and that the new rates made by the said City Council are based upon the entire plant of said Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies and upon their entire revenue and are not confined to their expenditures and revenue arising solely within the corporate limits of the City of Oakland;

That therefore rates which will yield a lawful revenue within the said City of Oakland will also yield a lawful revenue when made applicable outside said limits;

That your petitioners are inhabitants of, and taxpayers of this County of Alameda, State of California, and reside outside the corporate limits of any City or Town in said County, and further represent that said petitioners are water-rate payers.

WHEREFORE the undersigned do hereby most respectfully petition your Honorable Board (acting under the powers conferred by law for the regulation of charges for the use of water as laid down by "An act to regulate and control the sale, rental and distribution of appropriated water in this State, other than in any City, City and County, or Town therein, etc." Approved March 12, 1885, regulate and reduce the rates lawfully to be charged by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies for the use of water in the territory within your jurisdiction outside the corporate limits of the City of Oakland as will make them uniform with such lawful rates as were recently enacted to apply within the corporate limits of the City of Oakland;

And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

A. P. Newbert, Elmhurst.
G. W. Semmers, Elmhurst.
G. B. McHale, Elmhurst.
George H. Butzbach, Elmhurst.
Thomas Prest, Elmhurst.
Ed Hoerst, Elmhurst.
Manuel Edwards, Elmhurst.
Mrs. R. M. Smith, Elmhurst.
W. C. Spiegel, Elmhurst.
O. C. Fox, Elmhurst
Edward De Groat, Elmhurst.
E. Page, Elmhurst.
Wm. Dellenbough, Elmhurst.
M. Thurner, Elmhurst.
Wm. J. Keating, Elmhurst.
H. C. Brown, Elmhurst.
Claus Meyer, Elmhurst.
W. V. Monfort Elmhurst.
Newton Gray, Elmhurst.
Mrs. M. Allison, Elmhurst.
Mrs. G. Simonsen, Elmhurst.
Edw. N. Moor, Elmhurst.
H. Meyer, Elmhurst.
H. T. Hayes, Elmhurst.
William Warrilow, Elmhurst.
George L. Brown, Elmhurst.
H. Young, Elmhurst
J. T. T. Chatel, Elmhurst.
Wm. Johnson, Fitchburg.
P. Parsson, Elmhurst.
James Barracks, Fitchburg.
Frank Miller, Fitchburg.
C. P. Murphy, Fitchburg.
J. F. Gonsalves, Fitchburg.
John Whalen, Fitchburg.
Daniel Lowell, Fitchburg.
C. Clement, Fitchburg.
E. F. Gibbs, Fitchburg.
J. P. Condon, Fitchburg.
C. J. Mendonsa, Fitchburg.
A. T. Newth, Fitchburg.
M. Stone, Elmhurst.
J. N. Hitchcock, Elmhurst.
A. Jones, Elmhurst.
W. W. Kelleran, Elmhurst.
D. H. Babbitt, Elmhurst.
M. E. Allen, Elmhurst.
H. W. Whipple, Elmhurst.
Chas. Harrison, Fruitvale.
H. Hansen, Fruitvale.
Mary E. Werner, Fruitvale.
E. Gates, Fruitvale.

Said notice above set forth is made to notify all such persons, companies, associations and corporations mentioned in said petition and all persons interested in the matters of such petition and notice of the hearing of said petition of A. P. Newbert and others for the purpose of regulating and controlling the charges for water and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies in the said County of Alameda.

By order of the Board of Supervisors.
(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California.
Dated, February 3, 1896.

LEGAL.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

PACIFIC COAST SAVINGS SOCIETY, (a corporation),
Plaintiff,
vs.
DUNCAN ANDERSON, ET AL.,
Defendants.
No. 11,562

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1896, in the above entitled action wherein Pacific Coast Savings Society, (a corporation) the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Duncan Anderson, Agnes Anderson, Thomas Patrick Hogan, John Joseph Eagen and Hugh Hogan, co-partners doing business under the firm style of the Humboldt Lumber Company, defendants, on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1895, for the sum of eleven hundred and thirty-two and 08-100 dollars in United States gold coin, besides interest, costs and counsel fees, which said decree was on the 8th day of January, A. D. 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 19 of said Court, at page 410, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in Oakland township, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the northern line of McKee street, distant thereon one hundred and thirty-eight (138) feet four inches easterly from the eastern line of Baker street; running thence easterly along the said line of McKee street fifty (50) feet; thence northerly parallel with Baker street one hundred and thirty-four (134) feet; thence westerly parallel with McKee street fifty (50) feet; and thence southerly parallel with Baker street one hundred and thirty-four (134) feet to the place of beginning. Being a portion of lots Nos. 3, 4 and 5, in block marked "H" as the said lots are delineated and so designated on the plat entitled "Amended map of the J. W. Crawford Tract, Oakland Township," etc., filed on January 5th, 1886, in the County Recorder's office of said Alameda county.

Public notice is hereby given that on

Thursday, the 6th Day of February, A. D. 1896,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, January 10, 1896.
W. S. HARLOW,
A commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
Vincent Neale, attorney for plaintiff, Mills Building, San Francisco.

SCHOOL BONDS FOR SALE.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California, made October 28th, 1895, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the treasurer of said county at the Hall of Records of said county, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock noon, on the 1st day of February, 1896, for the purchase of three bonds of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each of Newark School District of Alameda County; at which said time said proposals will be opened and said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash in United States gold coin, subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth. Said bonds were issued by said Board of Supervisors under and in accordance with the provisions of Section 1880 to 1888, both inclusive, of the Political Code, and in conformity with an order of the Board of Supervisors of said county passed October 28, 1895, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, interest payable on the first day of February of each year, out of and from the Building Fund of said Newark School District upon presentation and surrender to the treasurer of said county of the interest coupons.

Said bonds are to be numbered consecutively one to three inclusive and are to mature as follows, to wit:

Bond numbered One, one year from date.
Bond numbered Two, two years from date.
Bond numbered Three, three years from date.

Bids will be received for one or any larger number of said bonds up to three. All bids must be equal in amount to the par value of the bonds bid for and accompanied by a certified check or cash deposit in the sum of at least 10 per cent of the amount of the bid, payable to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Newark School District of Alameda County. The said check or deposit will be returned in case of rejection of the bid, and be forfeited to the Board of Trustees if the bidder neglects to pay for the bond or bonds he bids for within five days after notice of the acceptance of the bid.

Upon the opening of said proposals said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidders for cash in United States gold coin subject to the above provisions.

All bids or proposals are to be addressed to the "Board of Trustees, Newark School District, care O. M. Sanford, Treasurer of Alameda County," and endorsed "Proposals for Bonds."

F. FALK
JULIUS WILDERMUTH,
C. G. HEALY, Clerk.
Trustees Newark School District, Alameda County, California.
Dated December 28, 1895.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary Letford, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary Letford, deceased, and for the issuance to James Letford of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 10th day of February, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, January 29th, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Endorsed: Filed Jan 29th, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of James McPeake, deceased.

No. 4624.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of James McPeake, deceased, and for the issuance to David McCarron of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 10th day of February, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated January 28, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
J. H. Smith, 957 Broadway, Oakland, attorney for petitioner.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John Willey, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John Willey deceased, and for the issuance to Jane T. Robinson of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 10th day of February, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, January 29th, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.

COULD GET NO WORK.

A Chicago Carpenter Wipes His Family Out of Existence.

DEATH CAME VERY QUIETLY.

Chloroform First Used and Then a Revolver's Bullets.

SUICIDE AS A FINALE.

If He Had Waited Until Today the Clouds Would Be Gone.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5—An entire family of six, father, mother, wife and three children, were murdered last night by Richard Klattke, a Lake View carpenter, who completed his work by killing himself.

The dead are: Richard Klattke, carpenter, 38 years old; Kate Klattke, his wife; John Klattke, father, 73; Mina Wilhelmine, mother-in-law, 71. Mina Klattke, daughter, 9; Anna Klattke, daughter, 8; Emma Klattke, daughter, 7.

The members of the Klattke family were found dead early this morning in their little cottage, 207 Berskau avenue, two blocks from the Cuyler station, a suburb of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, by Matthew Brown, a saloonkeeper, who called to secure the services of a carpenter.

Each of the seven corpses had a bullet in the head, the death of all being evidently instantaneous.

Beside the bed, Richard Klattke lay a revolver and empty cartridge shells were scattered about the room.

There is no indication of a struggle on the part of any of the victims.

A heavy odor, which appeared to be that of chloroform pervaded the house.

From this it was surmised that Richard first chloroformed the entire family and then put a bullet into each.

Everything pointed to a deliberately planned murder by the head of the family and a desire to place himself and his family beyond any further earthly troubles.

Klattke was despondent. His family were cold and hungry.

Since Christmas he had been out of work and ended his troubles just as relief was in sight.

This morning his next door neighbor, Adolph Schmidt, called at the cottage with the joyful news that he had found a job for Klattke.

At the same time Matt Brown arrived on the same errand.

A close examination of the remains showed that one of the victims alone had any warning of her fate.

This was Mrs. Kate Klattke, wife of the murderer.

She, it appeared, struggled with her husband before the fatal shot was fired.

Her hands were scratched and her clothing torn.

She had evidently been overpowered and thrown on the bed beside the dead body of her little seven-year-old daughter Emma.

AN ABLE OFFICIAL.

A. G. Gurnett Now the President of the Stock Exchange Board.

There is much satisfaction in financial circles over the election of A. G. Gurnett as president of the San Francisco Stock Exchange Board. He is one of the most able men in the Exchange, of which he has been a member for about twenty years and is recognized in all quarters as a man of sound judgment, executive ability and broad ideas. He is eminently suited for the presidency of the board, as he is a free lance on the floor and is therefore at all times able to act as his judgment dictates. He is ambitious, aggressive and progressive and the influence of his ability will not be long in asserting itself on 'Change.

His selection of the committees has been very judicious and the different bodies are in the hands of men well qualified for the responsibility awaiting them. A new committee called "the Gold Mining Committee" has been established and will be an important factor in the work of the board. Under the new president there is a very prosperous outlook for the Exchange.

SPECULATING IN SUGAR.

Large Boats Being Fitted Up in the New York Yards.

It Was Thought at One Time They Were to Aid the Rebels.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5—According to rumors in Cuban and Spanish circles, the Neptuno, now in dry-dock at Perth Amboy, N. J., the Narino, which is being transformed into a gunboat in the shipyards, and other steamers which have been mentioned in connection with expeditions to Cuba, are not being fitted out by the Cubans' Junta at all, but by New York sugar merchants.

Several months ago the rumor was spread that a syndicate had furnished $500,000 to help Gomez in burning plantations for the purpose of creating a boom in sugar.

It is now said that H. S. Rubens, counsel for the Cuban party, is in Washington lobbying not only for the Junta, but for the sugar people as well.

The rumored plan is a clever one.

It appears that it contemplates building vessels so well equipped that they could capture the ports of Cuba. Of course this work will be done in connection with the Junta.

It would take a large fleet to carry out the plans, as the Spanish government has now over fifty ships to protect the different ports of the island.

Coos Bay coal is now delivered by any dealer in Oakland, Alameda or Berkeley at $7 per ton.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Carter's Little Liver Pills.

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It comes naturally to take such a small easily swallowed dose as
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Because there is nothing nauseous about this medicine to make a fuss about, because it will do you good, and because you want to get rid of that headache by taking a
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Small Pill. Small Dose Small Price.

PLAYS OF HIGH DEGREE.

Louis James to Follow "In Old Kentucky" Tomorrow.

The Oakland's Circus Production is a Gigantic Success.

There will be one more performance of "In Old Kentucky." Last night's house at the Macdonough was a repetition of that of Monday night. There was standing room only to be had down stairs, while

the gallery and balcony were packed to overflowing.

LOUIS JAMES

Louis James will play a round of Shakespearean plays at the McDonough theater for three nights and a matinee commencing Thursday, February 6th.

The opening bill will be "Hamlet," and "Macbeth" and "Othello" will follow on Friday and Saturday nights in the order named. A special matinee of "Romeo and Juliet" will be given on Saturday with Mr. James as Mercutio.

"Hamlet" has proved a very strong card in Mr. James' repertoire, and he is acknowledged to have no peer in the character on the American stage. The veteran Californian playwright, William Greer Harrison, whose "Rumsey made" has been for the past year running in the East in the repertoire of a prominent tragedian, after witnessing a performance which Mr. James recently gave at the California

LOUIS JAMES.

wrote him the following which explains itself.

San Francisco, Saturday Night.

My Dear James: I have seen all the great "Hamlets" for fifty years, and so can speak. You are right in with the greatest. I am charmed and delighted with your work, it is the very highest form of art.

Go on and take the great prize.

Faithfully,
WILLIAM GREER HARRISON.

A TRIP TO THE CIRCUS.

The Oakland is giving its patrons a genuine novelty this week in a "Trip to the Circus." It is really two big performances in one. The vaudeville features incidental to the circus scene are highly enjoyed.

Professor Alexander.

Professor Alexander who gives a series of lectures at Hamilton Hall next week comes from Salt Lake City. Both in that city and in Denver and Omaha the papers speak very highly of him. The Omaha Bee says tersely: "We defy any dollar show to interest an audience better than Professor Alexander."

AS OTHERS SEE US.

For the past two weeks burglaries in Oakland and Alameda have been very numerous. In Alameda there were no less than nine during one night, and they were committed while two policemen were patrolling (or supposed to be) in front of the very stores that were being burglarized. In Oakland Saturday night five burglaries were committed in the same manner and probably by the same men who burglarized Alameda so successfully. It does not seem reasonable to suppose that the police of either Oakland or Alameda are very alert when burglary can be committed under their very noses in such a wholesale manner.

This is the time of year when tramps and crackasmen emigrate from the Eastern cities on account of the cold weather, and in California they find a good field for their criminal operations. Our people are not as careful about fastening up their residences and places of business and our police are more sociable, or, in other words, they are not exclusive enough at night to patrol their beats alone, but must join each other and keep up a lively conversation in order to keep burglars and other prowlers aware of their presence.—Berkeley Gazette.

There is a big war on in the camp of the Populists down in Oakland. A short time ago Mayor Davie was ruled out of the party because it was thought he had not done just the square thing in the distribution of patronage, and now a movement is on foot to oust him from office on the ground that he violated the Purity of Elections laws by making promises before the election.—Napa Journal.

Politics are waxing warm in Oakland and from present appearances the Oakland delegation will be pretty well split up. There are numerous candidates for each office, and more are materializing each day so that no candidate will have a walkover. The districts outside of Oakland are bound to have recognition, and with so many candidates in Oakland, and split delegations the outside districts will stand a very good show of getting what they want. All that is necessary for Berkeley and Oakland township to do is to decide upon the persons they want and then stand solidly with them throughout the convention. Other sections outside of the county will then assist Oakland township in return for its assistance in nominations that they want for their section. Now is the time for our candidates to make themselves known.—Berkeley Gazette.

Twenty-four Chinese gamblers arrested on one day is Chief of Police Lloyd's record in Oakland.—Haywards Mail.

A Revengeful Girl.

Agnes Burnett, aged 16 years, attempted to poison her grandparents, who reside at 1208 Railway avenue, Alameda, a few nights ago. She had been reproved by the old people, and, by way of being revenged put rat poison in the tea which she served to them. Mr. and Mrs. Burnett became sick. They called in a doctor and he succeeded in relieving them of the poison they had partaken of. The old people have forgiven the girl.

SILVERWARE AND SHOES.

A New Idea for the Public by Senram.

Senram, the pioneer shoe dealer, who for 30 years has maintained a reputation for standard work, has made an arrangement with the New Haven Silverware Company by which beautiful pieces of silverware are given to purchasers of a sufficient quantity of shoes. A certain percentage is allowed on each purchase, and Tribune readers are advised to visit Senram's, 1005 Broadway, and learn more particularly how the gifts are handled.

Dyspepsia in its worst forms will yield to the use of Carter's Little Nerve Pills, aided by Carter's Little Liver Pills. They not only relieve present distress but strengthen the stomach and digestive apparatus.

Above all others, Sperry Family Flour.

Nettie Laymance, leading milliner, 265 Broadway.

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POINTER No. 1: "There is always more in the world than men could see, walked they ever so slowly."

Have you seen the $60 LINDSAY BICYCLE? It's a Hot Favorite, and 'twill pay you to investigate it. Thoroughly ninety-six-ey and beautiful lines. It possesses all the features that a dyed-in-the-wool rider demands. Has large tubing, barrell hubs, dust proof bearings, adjustable handle bar. But, stop. We can't tell you ALL about it in an ad. Better see it before buying.

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An experienced man to take charge of the repair shops of the Oakland, San Leandro & Haywards Electric Railway, Consolidated. Applicants will please call on
MR. C. GUSTAFSON,
Superintendent of the Company.
Office at the Power House,
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NO BETTER FEED FOR DAIRY cows and stock. For sale in quantities to suit. Apply to EL DORADO LINSEED OIL WORKS COMPANY, 206 California street, San Francisco.

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CHANGES COMING.

Some Political Surprises Are In Store for Oakland.

TWO NEW ORGANIZATIONS.

"Patriots of America" Who Will Include Five Parties.

"REGULAR REPUBLICANS."

The Banner Organization of the Seventh Ward to Meet.

The following is in circulation:
BLANK FOR OBTAINING CHARTER
Name of Lodge Pioneer,
Postoffice Address,
Oakland, California,
State of California, }
}ss.
County of Alameda, }
We the following
1 A. Bretz, editor, Populist.
2 H. S. Aldrich, attorney-at-law, Republican.
3 Henry P. Dalton, assessor, Non-Partisan.
4 F. W. Sawyer, attorney-at-law, Prohibition.
5 Eugene Hough, painter, Socialist.

Do hereby solemnly affirm that we will support the constitution of the Order of the Patriots of America; that we desire in good faith to obtain a charter for a lodge to be organized by us under said constitution at Oakland in said County and State, t obe known as Pioneer Lodge, No. 1, of the Patriots of America; that we will treat in confidence the rules and ritual of said order and communicate the same only to members of this order.

In testimony whereof we have hereunto affixed our signatures.

A. BRETZ,
H. S. ALDRICH,
HENRY P. DALTON,
F. W. SAWYER,
EUGENE HOUGH.

Subscribed to in my presence and sworn to before me this, the ..... day of ..... 189..

.....
Name of Officer.
.....
Official Designation.

REGULAR REPUBLICANS.

A New Political Organization Is Starting in West Oakland.

Some startling political changes appear to be shaping themselves in Oakland. The following letter has been in circulation for some days past, and it has been read with interest in political circles:

The undersigned citizens and voters in the city of Oakland hereby associate ourselves together under the name of the Regular Republican club of the First ward of the city of Oakland.

Believing that the highest interests of the people and of the Republican party are involved in the approaching election of 1896, and that to successfully conserve those interests, the Republican party should be independent of and free from all control by monopolies, rings and bosses, and absolutely in the control of the people, at the primaries and conventions ,we hereby pledge ourselves to promote clean and honorable politics, to the end that the Republican voters of the city of Oakland and Alameda county shall have and hold forever in their own hands, free from boss rule, the management of all matters pertaining to the political interests of the people and the Republican party.

RULES FOR ORGANIZING.

First—The selection of permanent officers shall take place when the membership of the club is fifty.

Second—After a permanent organization is effected, precinct committees may be elected at a regular meeting, but not otherwise. An executive committee may also be elected, but in no case shall any permanent committee be elected, except it be by a vote of the club at a regular meeting. The chair shall appoint.

Third—The precinct committee shall be severally selected by the members of the club from such precinct, and reported to the club for confirmation, on which confirmation shall be a vote of the club.

Name.	Residence.
Dalton	First
Sands	Second
H. Walker	Third
Fowler	Fourth
Buckland	Fifth
Dow	Seventh

J. M. Havens, president.
F. Jackson, secretary.
Laidlaw.
Dr. Fall.
Aldrich.

THE SEVENTH WARD.

The Banner Republican Body Is Called to Conference

Political lines in the Seventh ward have suddenly assumed an interesting aspect, and it is said that if the movement now on foot, originated by an aspirant for political office, is successful, much ill-feeling will result.

Those interested in seeing harmony prevail in Republican ranks in East Oakland are taking considerable interest in the meeting called for the organization of a Republican Club at Judge Lawrence's office Friday night.

For several years the Seventh ward has had strong organization and the Seventh Ward Republican Club, of which Geo. C. Pardee is president, and Frank Jordan is secretary, has wielded a large influence through the active endeavors of its 300 members. Influential members of this club claim that the call issued for the organization of another club is ill advised and bad policy, and several go so far as to say that it is simply to advance the claims of one aspiring to the State Senatorship. They say that it is too early to consider the question of selection of candidates for this important office, and that all that is necessary at present is to perfect the plans of the present strong Republican organization by having a meeting of the Seventh Ward Republican Club held, new officers elected, new and efficient committees appointed and active preparations made for the coming National and State campaign. To this end a call has been issued and sent to all members of the Seventh Ward Club to meet Friday night at 8 o'clock, at Judge Lawrence's courtroom, and at this meeting the new officers will be elected and proper steps taken looking to active political work.

The prevailing opinion is that the Seventh Ward Republican Club should be continued as the representative political body of the ward and that no other club should be organized, and that when the proper time arrives to consider the claims of the different candidates, the club can in a manner satisfactory to all decide as to whom to support as the choice of the Seventh ward.

Incidentally it has cropped out that Assemblyman Dodge is going to make a fight for the Senatorship and that he will have as a prominent opponent Fred S. Stratton. Both have many friends. Stratton in the Seventh has a strong following, owing to the fact that his boyhood days were spent in East Oakland and naturally Seventh warders feel favorably disposed to one who has achieved so much success as he has. Still the matter of preference will depend on the influence exercised by the members of the Seventh Ward Club. The meeting, therefore, Friday will be a most interesting one and a large attendance and interesting proceedings are anticipated. In fact, it will be the first really important meeting of this most interesting political year.

THE SECOND WARD.

The Republican Campaign Club to Meet Tomorrow Evening.

Permanent organization of the Second Ward Republican Campaign Club is to be effected at Milton Hall Twenty-eighth street and San Pablo avenue, tomorrow evening. The meeting is to commence at half-past 8.

At the gathering last week thirty-five or forty electors being present, F. R. Porter was chosen president, and John N. Bonham secretary. Business at Thursday night's assembly will comprise a number of matters.

A full board of officers is to be named and an executive committee will be selected. There will be debate and probable action on the proposition to form the Oakland Republican Club with delegates five or more, from the various ward clubs. The move to capture the Republican State Convention for Oakland is to be a topic of discussion.

The Republicans of the Second ward are all to be solicited to join the club, and a canvassing committee may be appointed tomorrow evening.

POPULISTS CLASH.

A Struggle for the Right to Organize in the Seventh Ward.

There is trouble among the Populists in the Seventh ward. Two factions representing different portions of the ward are fighting for organization. Two clubs are in formative state, one at Thirteenth avenue and the other at Twenty-third avenue. Each is gathering adherents as rapidly as possible, and proposes to make a hard fight for recognition at the hands of the county committee. During the last campaign both clubs were allowed delegates, but it is believed but one will be accredited this year.

A SHIP ASHORE.

A British Bark in a Very Bad Way Near Port Townsend.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PORT TOWNSEND, Feb. 4.—The British ship Kilbeannan from Callao went ashore on Point Wilson near Port Townsend at 3 o'clock and will probably be a total loss.

She came up the straits before a strong northwest wind and struck near the light house, all sails going by the board.

The ship went over on her starboard beam, the seas breaking clear over her.

An attempt was made to launch two boats, but they were carried away.

Tugs were sent out but could render no assistance.

BREAKING FOR BLACKBURN

Exciting Scenes Are Witnessed in the Kentucky Legislature.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 5.—Today's ballot for Senator resulted: Hunter 66, Blackburn 62, Carlisle 3, McCreary 2, Bate 1.

Senator Hayward caused the first break in the anti-Blackburn column by voting for Blackburn.

Senator Holloway followed up the break by voting for Blackburn.

Both votes were wildly cheered.

A TANK ON FIRE.

An Afternoon Blaze at the Alameda Oil Works.

Special to The Tribune.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 5.—An oil tank at the Alameda Oil Works took fire at 3:15 o'clock this afternoon.

It was soon extinguished.

Little damage was done.

A Victory for Monopoly.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—The Press Association announces that the Scotch oil combine has completely dissolved, with heavy losses to investors, and the Standard Oil Company is again master of the situation.

Reduced Again.

Another reduction in Coos Bay coal. Now delivered at $7 per ton.

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A RIVER OF GOLD.

Splendid Bids Received for the New Bond Issue.

THE COUNTRY'S ALL RIGHT.

Over $550,000,000 Offered to Relieve the Strain.

PREMIUMS RANGE TO 119.

The Pacific Coast Represented by a Good Offer.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Secretary of the Treasury today opened bids for the purchase of $100,000,000 United States four per cent thirty year bonds received under his call dated January 6th last.

The bonds, redeemable in coin, will be issued in denominations of $50 or multiples of that sum, as desired by the bidders.

At 9 o'clock this morning the clerk in the loans and currency division began opening and scheduling the bids.

The clerks were not allowed to leave the room until the time for receiving the bids closed, so that by no chance could any information regarding the bids be prematurely disclosed.

The bids were announced from the schedule already prepared in the Secretary's office, where a large number of bidders and representatives of the press gathered.

The interest manifested today at the treasury department in the opening of the bids for the present loan far exceeded that attending either of the others.

As early as 5:30 o'clock many prominent capitalists from New York and other Eastern cities began to put in an appearance at the treasury.

All the morning bond bids came in rapidly, swelling the already long string of bidders.

Every mail brought a list of bond bids and at 11 o'clock the expectations of the treasury officials were rising and predictions were made freely that the loan was largely over subscribed and the bonds would bring a good price.

At 11:30 a large crowd assembled about the Secretary's door and was allowed to enter and all available space was soon occupied.

The opening and scheduling of the bids was conducted under the direction of Assistant Secretary Curtis by a committee consisting of United States Treasurer Morgan, Comptroller of Currency Eckels, and Mr. Huntington, chief of the division of loans and currency.

Secretary Carlisle entered at 12 o'clock. The room was so densely crowded that it was with much difficulty he could make his way to a seat

LOTS OF THEM.

12:15 P. M.—Mr. Eckels of the committee, announced that up to this time there had been received 3,707 bids aggregating $389,232,500, ranging in price from par to $1.19, and a fraction.

Other bids not yet opened would probably raise the number to 4,500, aggregating $75,000,000 more.

The big syndicate bids were not received until this morning and the result was that it was impossible at 1 o'clock to give the amounts or prices, the force of the treasury clerks being swamped in the work of tabulating the vast number of bids received prior to today.

These earlier bidders, with the exception of Robert E. Glendenning, Philadelphia, $500,000 at $112.75, and Albert L. Judson, $500,000 at $112.75, all bid for amounts below half a million, ranging from $5 to about $300,000.

Joseph Pulitzer bid for $1,000,000 at $111. In a note accompanying the bid, Pulitzer says: "This bid, at the highest market of today, is in lieu of the offer of the New York World to head the list with a subscription to a popular loan on a basis, which was not adopted, of open subscription at a fixed and equal rate."

J. Pierpont Morgan, Harvey Fisk & Son, and the Deutcher Bank of Berlin, as a syndicate, bid for $100,000,000 at $110.6878.

Up to 1:40 4,640 bids for $684,260,850 had been opened.

Mr. Eckels announced that the bid for $100,000,000 from a doctor in Michigan and $16,000,000 from one in Texas, were regarded as bogus and the total of $684,260,850 should be reduced by the amount of these.

The Bank of California, San Francisco, bid $112.78 for $100,000.

The total (corrected) number of bids received for the new loan is 4,640, aggregating $558,569,850.

Secretary Carlisle was greatly pleased at the brilliantly conspicuous success of the loan and said it showed what the people of this country would do when appealed to. He thought the effect abroad would be very marked in our favor.

THE TRUST COMPANY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—President John A. Stewart of the United States Trust Co., says: "Our bids for government bonds were for $76,000,000 at a fixed price of $110.75 which nets about 3⅝% and an additional $10,000,000 at a lower figure. He says he has received reliable information from Washington that no bids below $111 will be accepted."

A STEAMER STRANDED.

A British Boat From the Mediterranean in Trouble.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FIRE ISLAND, Feb. 5.—The Lone Hill life saving station reports a steamer ashore between Blue Point and Beelport.

Life savers have gone out.

Captain O'Rourke of the Blue Point life saving station says the steamer ashore is the British steamer Lamington, Captain Duff, from Mediterranean ports for New York, with a cargo of fruit.

The point where the Lamington went ashore is fifteen miles east of Fire Island.

They are landing the crew in a breeches buoy.

The vessel is in an easy position, making no water.

A dispatch from Fire Island says all the crew of the stranded steamer Lamington were safely landed.

Dyspepsia cured by using Adam's Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum after each meal.

Death of Editor Smith.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Feb 5.—After an illness of nearly a month, Dr. Justin A. Smith, editor of the Standard, died last evening. Dr. Smith was 76 years old, and almost two-thirds of his life served as editor of a leading Baptist denominational paper in the West.

A Bank Assigns.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CONNORSVILLE, Ind., Feb. 5.—The Citizens' Bank, owned by ex-United States Treasurer Huston, assigned this morning. It is stated all deposits will be paid in full.

Bear Is in Mourning.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—Lady Jane Francesca Spernsa Wilde, widow of Sir William Robert Wilde, M. D., surgeon oculist to her majesty, in Ireland, and mother of Oscar Wilde, is dead.

A Catholic Dignitary.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ROME, Feb. 5.—Rev. Father Hoban has been appointed Bishop of Scranton, Pa.

ROYALTY IN MOURNING.

Battenberg's Funeral Attended by a Notable Concourse.

A Guard of Honor Formed by Naval Brigades From the Fleet.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

COWES, Isle of Wight, Feb. 5.—Business all over the Isle of Wight was practically suspended today and the inhabitants flocked to this city to pay a last tribute to Prince Henry of Battenburg, husband of Princess Beatrice, who died Jan. 20th on his way from Cape Coast Castle to Madeira.

Marines and blue jackets were landed to take part in the procession.

About 10 o'clock the Duke of Connaught and Duchess of Albany, and later the Princess Beatrice, her children and the Princess Louise, drove from Osborne House to Cowes and embarked on the Alberta. There the children placed a handsome wreath on the coffin.

After the religious ceremonies the funeral cortege proceeded to Whippingham church.

The route from Trinity pier was lined with guards from the fleet, behind which thronged sight-seers and sympathizers.

Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, George J. Goschen, First Lord of the Admiralty, A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury, and Viscount Cross, Lord of the Privy Seal, were present.

The Marquis of Salisbury and other Ministers at the same hour were attending a special funeral service in honor of the late Prince Henry in Westminster Abbey.

HE IS FOR VENEZUELA.

Henry M. Stanley Speaks on the Big Boundary Broil.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, now a member of the British Parliament, has written a letter to Mayor J. B. Pond of this city touching the Venezuela question. In the course of it he says:

"Now, on this Venezuela subject I am entirely on the side of America, but I must admit that I am not surprised that the English papers backed up Salisbury and differ from me.

Taught by the virulent remarks of your journals, I had, of course, devoted much time to understanding it, whereas English editors are exceedingly ill-informed.

"Then there are two or three injudicious remarks in Olney's dispatch which puts British backs up, but after reflection it is wonderful how many have come round to my opinion that whatever the transgressions of Olney there is a great deal of justice in the American demand.

"I feel quite sure now that so much is admitted it will not be long before the opinion becomes general that we were in the wrong in refusing arbitration, while the more I think of Olney, I think that Olney could scarcely have written otherwise than he did.

"I argue that had he contented himself with the usual suave tone of diplomacy he would not have succeeded in rousing the attention of the nation to the necessity of settlement. His dispatch would have lain quietly buried in the archives of the foreign office, whereas every Englishman knows sufficiently of the subject to distinguish right from wrong, and while there is still a majority who take the dispatch to be an effront to British dignity, there is a minority increasing in numbers who think that British honor would be best consulted by considering the justice done to Venezuela and that British interests would be promoted by acquiescing with the American demand."

Morrison on Silver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—William R. Morrison, the inter-State Commerce Commissioner denies the report that he sent the Illinois Democratic leaders word that the free silver idea must be abandoned or he would refuse to be a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination.

RIGHTS FOR REBELS.

The Cuban Cause Is Reported Today to the Senate.

A HARD ONE FOR SPAIN.

Call Will Push the Matter Through Without Delay.

PRIZE-FIGHTERS DEFEATED.

The House Puts a Clincher on the Coming Fistic Festival.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations tpday agreed upon a substitute for a resolution heretofore reported on the question of the recognition of Cuba, and authorized Senator Morgan to report it to the Senate. It is:

"Resolved, By the Senate, and the House of Representatives concurring, that in the opinion of Congress a condition of war exists between the government of Spain and the government proclaimed and for some time maintained by force of arms of the people of Cuba, and that the people of theUni ted States of America should maintain a strict neutrality between the contending powers and accord each all the rights of belligerents in the ports and territory of the United States."

The committee also voted to make an effort to take up the Cuban question in the Senate as soon as the urgent deficiency bill and a resolution of distribution for the appropriation bills can be disposed of.

THE SENATE.

Hansbrough's Resolution Shuts Off the Quay Move.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—When the Senate convened today there was a full representation of Senators, and the galleries were also well filled in anticipation of debate and possibly a vote on Quay's motion to recommit the tariff silver bill with instructions.

Morgan (Ala.) from the committee on foreign relations reported the Cuban belligerency resoution, saying it met with his full approval.

Call (Fla.) gave notice he would call up the resolution as soon as he could secure the attention of the Senate.

At 12:40 Quay's motion to recommit the free coinage substitute for the tariff bill was laid before the Senate.

It was found that the prior resolution of Hansbrough, directing the Secretary of Agriculture to execute the law as to seeds distribution, had precedence.

After some discussion it was agreed that if the seed resolution could be disposed of before 2 o'clock, Quay's resolution would be taken up. If not, the Quay resolution will come up tomorrow.

Shortly after 2 o'clock Senator Vest concluded on Hansbrough's seed resolution, and without action on it the resolution for distributing appropriation bills among the various committees was taken up.

THE HOUSE.

A Bill to Prevent the Prize-Fight Festival at El Paso.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—In the House today, Delegate Catron of New Mexico introduced a bill to prevent the pugilistic festival from taking place near El Paso.

The bill makes fighting a misdemeanor, punishable by imprisonment not less than five years.

Catron asked for unanimous consent for consideration but Knox, Republican, of Massachusetts, objected and the bill was referred.

The District of Columbia appropriation on which a fight has been made over charitable appropriations, was defeated today by a vote of yeas 145 to 143 nays.

The House has passed an anti-prize fighting bill without division.

At 3 o'clock the House went into Committee of the Whole for consideration of the Senate substitute for the House bond bill.

PLENTY OF READY CASH.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, February 5.—The Republic this morning says that a new line from St. Louis to the Southwest is likely to be the result of the contemplated separation of the 'Frisco from the Santa Fe system.

E. H. R. Green, president of the Texas Midland, and son of the well-known Hetty Green, was in the city yesterday and had a conference with Major Morrill of the 'Frisco and other prominent railroad men.

He said to the 'Frisco people that in the event of the separation of that road from the Santa Fe system he was prepared to use his own money and his mother's in the construction of certain branch and auxiliary lines which would give St. Louis an entrance into Central Texas by a route many miles shorter than that which it now enjoys.

From St. Louis to Paris, Texas, the 'Frisco runs in a line which is more direct than any other route.

From Paris to Greenville there is a gap that President Green proposes to fill

From Greenville to Ennis the Texas Midland is already in operation and between Ennis and Waco there is also a gap of sixty-five miles which President Green is ready to build upon receipt of notice that the 'Frisco will begin to operate its road upon an independent basis.

To Dallas from Quinlan, a point on the Texas Midland, there is only an unfilled space of something like sixty-two miles and this will be built by Mr. Green and the people whom he represents.

Between Dallas and Fort Worth there is only a little gap to be filled to make the new line complete.

THE STATE WILL SETTLE.

Menzenmeyer's Attempts to Beat the Game Are Thwarted.

The Necessary Evidence Will at Once Start for the North.

Whether or not Sheriff White will send to Victoria now for Albert Menzenmeyer depends entirely upon the action of Governor Budd. The announcement of Chief of Police Shepherd of that city that the officer who goes with the requisition papers will also have to produce witnesses and be prepared to fight for the fugitive's transfer into their custody has rather upset the calculations of the local officers. They see no way for the county to meet the heavy cost. It is estimated that fully $1000 will be necessary to cover all the expenses. Witnesses will have to be paid mileage, and the attorneys of Victoria have a reputation of not laboring from motives of glory and no consequent gain. They would probably charge a round, fat fee for their services.

Besides, Sheriff White has been notified through the District Attorney's office that the expense is not a legal charge necessary to be borne by the State. The only salvation now is to procure the necessary authorization of expenditure from Governor Budd, who is empowered to allow certain expense for extraordinary purposes. Whether he will deem the present exigency one that should be met is a question for which the local officers are seeking an answer at his hands.

Sheriff White has also learned that Menzenmeyer is making preparations for a battle. He has refused to return without extradition. His wife has written to him and has said she proposes to go to Victoria at once and assist her husband in his efforts to secure his freedom before the officers from here have an opportunity to press their claim to him as a fugitive. Altogether the prospect is not very brilliant for a successful coup.

ALL SETTLED.

This afternoon Attorney Fitzgerald notified District Attorney Snook that the State will pay the bill. Al White will probably leave tonight for the scene.

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COURT CALENDAR.

THURSDAY, February 6, 1896.

Department 1, Judge Frick—Marshall vs. Anderson.

Department 2, Judge Ogden—Wettstein vs. Southern Pacific Company; E. E Decker vs. his creditors; Mann vs. Hart; Souza vs. Trefry.

Department 3, Judge Ellsworth—Reserved.

Department 4, Judge Greene—People vs. Henry Wilkinson.

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Ed. W. Littlejohn, San Francisco....27
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The Wheat Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Wheat—Quiet: Dec. $1.17; May $1.19¼.

Barley—Steady: May 72½c; Feb. 70½c.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Wheat: Feb. 65⅝c; May 67⅝c.

Oats—Feb. 19⅝@19½c; May 21½c bid.

All Right.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PORT TOWNSEND, Feb. 5.—The British steamer Argenberod from Japan arrived this morning. She is long overdue and great fears have been expressed for her safety.

The Prescription Clerk

Has to keep his wits about him to remember a thousand and one things; must be error proof, careful and painstaking. If he does not possess all these virtues and numerous others, he has missed his vocation. And this is as it should be, as he often balances

Life and Death

in his hands. None but competent pharmacists are allowed to prepare prescriptions for us. Then as we use only the highest grade of drugs we feel justified in soliciting your patronage.

BOWMAN & CO., Druggists Cor. Ninth and Broadway.

DOCTORS DISAGREE.

Expert Testimony That There Is No Railroad Spine.

A CONFLICT OF IDEAS.

Dr. Shiels Takes the Stand in the Wettstein Suit.

A NEW TURN IS TAKEN.

The Railroad Company Gives Its Side of the Case.

The case of Wettstein against the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, in which the plaintiff is suing for $20,000 damages, was resumed before Judge Ogden this morning. There was present a large number of spectators in the lobby, while within the bar there were Drs. Shiels, Laine, Barber, Fisher, Selfridge, Dunn, Crowley and Woolsey. Supt. A. D. Wilder was also an eager auditor.

The first witness was George E. Gaylord, who said that it is his duty to instruct gatemen on the Seventh street local train as to their duties. He said also that he had instructed Gateman Adams that he must allow no person to board the train after the train had got under motion and that nobody was to be allowed to get on the train without exhibiting transportation.

On cross-examination he said that he had not issued special instructions to gatemen to provide for their government in cases where people succeeded in getting on the lower steps of a platform after the train had got under way.

Dr. George Franklin Shiels of San Francisco, who has been the chief medical expert for the plaintiff, was then placed on the stand. He told of his having graduated from the medical university at Edinburgh, his connection with foreign medical societies, also with the University of California, and post-graduate courses of that institution in San Francisco.

He said that he had acted as a medical expert in a number of cases and that he is now acting in that capacity for the Southern Pacific Company, although he is not regularly in the employ of that corporation. Although testifying now for the Southern Pacific, next week he will be the leading medical expert in the case of Ireland against that company, in which $75,000 is involved.

He said that he had heard all the testimony given in the case by the physicians who had appeared for the plaintiff.

Mr. Moore then propounded a suppositious case, based upon the experience of Wettstein from the time, as alleged, he was pushed off the Seventh street cars. It was shown that after the accident Wettstein had walked through a number of the streets of the city hunting up his attorney; that he had employed an assistant for ten days in the saloon business and then discharged the assistant, since which time the plaintiff had done his own work; on examination of his person it was found as alleged that he was without bruise or blemish; as a consequence of his injuries the patient had not been obliged to remain in his home or bed. The Colonel's career was then recounted, all the facts being the same as were brought out in the cross-examination of the witnesses for the plaintiff.

The witness was then asked if he understood the question.

Dr. Shiels replied that he thought he did and that it was unnecessary to have it re-read by the reporter.

The plaintiff objected to the question on the ground that it did not state all the facts of the case.

The question was then amended so as to strike out the assertion that Wettstein had no assistant ten days after the accident.

Witness was then asked if he thought the injuries complained off were the result of the accident described. He replied that he did not think they were.

The doctor was then asked what would be the condition of a man who had sustained the injuries referred to by Dr. Woolsey.

"He would be almost deaf, blind, incapacitated for anything and would be a physical wreck," was the reply.

"What is your opinion as to the plaintiff's being a man well nourished or otherwise?"

"I would say that he is a well-nourished man."

"Have you ever seen, at home or abroad, a man who could present the appearance of Colonel Wettstein and have sustained the injuries which Dr. Woolsey describes?"

"No, sir. Such a man would be a wreck. It would be absolutely impossible for him to be otherwise than a physical wreck."

The witness further declared that he did not believe in the theory of concussion of the spine which would bring about the symptoms complained.

Several diagrams of the human trunk and spinal column were then hung on the blackboard against the objection of the plaintiff.

Several points both on the cord and vertebrae were pointed out and the doctor was asked what he thought about the alleged injury, as testified to by the plaintiff, to the spinal cord under the fourth, third and second vertebrae.

"There could be no injury to the cord," was the reply, "because there is no spinal cord under those vertebrae."

The doctor then explained that lesion is a general term for injury, that gross lesion is such as may be seen by the eye, and microscopical lesion is such as requires a microscope to discover.

"Is there any such thing as railroad spine?"

"There is absolutely no such thing as railroad spine. A person may sustain an injury by a momentary jar, by stepping down unexpectedly, slipping off something, or being knocked out in a fight, but these are all mechanical injuries, without any special definition. There is no such thing as railroad spine."

The doctor then told how the spinal cord is protected from shocks. The cord, he said, is protected with what might be called three envelopes, and in addition there is a bony canal or tunnel. The cord is tied to this canal with delicate ligaments. Besides, it is surrounded by the cerebro spinal fluid. In front of the cord are blocks of bones, between which nature has put elastic discs, the effect of which is like rubber on a man's cane when he strikes the ground, preventing a jar. Besides there is protection between the articulate process, ligaments behind and ligaments at the side of the body of the vertebrae—in a word the spinal cord is the most beautifully protected feature of the human body. The curvature in the spinal column is so arranged by nature that any shock is without injury except one of great violence.

AN OFFER TO EXPERT.

The principal feature of the case yesterday afternoon was the offer of the counsel for the plaintiff, which attracted some attention. The offer was to submit the plaintiff to a physical examination by any number of physicians which the defendant might desire to appoint for that purpose, the plaintiff to have a representative present, and the examination to last one hour, or to be extended two hours if it could be done without fatiguing the patient. Counsel also offered to have the court appoint a disinterested medical expert, who had not figured on any side of the case, to come in and give testimony in the matter.

The offer was rejected by Mr. Moore, claiming that it was only a bluff on the part of the plaintiff.

TO RAISE RIOT

Is an offense against law and order, but to raise bread with so pure a manufactured article as

Monarch Baking Powder

Is an evidence of good sense.

ALL GROCERS SELL IT.

A TEMPORARY OFFICER.

W. B. Smith Is Appointed to Fire Department Honors.

At the meeting of the Fire and Police Commissioners held yesterday afternoon, W. B. Smith was appointed temporarily to fill the position of first assistant chief. He is a candidate for the position, as is ex-Fire Warden Murdock and W. W. Hoag, but the Commissioners had not decided upon a permanent man, and as an assistant chief was necessary Smith was delegated to act until they can make their selection.

Chief Lloyd also jumped the Mayor in a communication. His requisitions, he says, are relegated to oblivion when they enter the Mayor's office for his signature. Lloyd wants an index book and a pawnshop record, both of which were allowed by the Board, but have since been lost in the office of the Mayor. "I make this last effort to rescue the same prior to calling upon the Council," he wrote. The communication was referred to the committee of the whole for discussion.

T. J. Crowley was appointed foreman of truck No. 1, vice Robt. Fleming and Z. G. Wheeler was given J. Cuddy's place as extra man of truck No. 3.

W. W. Hoag's petition for assistant engineer was filed.

Chief Fair was granted permission to employ a man for repairing work for three days at $3 a day.

Draw Crowded Houses.

Professor Alexander has the reputation of being the only lecturer in the phrenological field that has ever been able to draw crowded houses night after night for weeks in succession in the large and conservative cities of the East. He gives his first lecture here on Monday night at Hamilton Hall.

SHE WAS UNFAITHFUL.

James T. Gardener, Jr. Divorced From His Erring Wife.

James T. Gardiner Jr. was granted a divorce today from May C. Gardiner on the ground of adultery. The plaintiff is the son of the well-known Oakland grocer, James T. Gardiner. There are no property interests involved in the decree.

Stanley Is Better.

The surgeons in charge of Engineer James W. Stanley, who was injured in the collision between the Santa Cruz and Monterey trains last Saturday week, say that he is improving so rapidly that he will be able to leave his bed in about ten days. He will not, however, be strong enough to support his own weight without assistance.

The Wilmerding Site.

The work of raising money for the purpose of securing a site for the proposed Wilmerding school is progressing in a very satisfactorily manner. It has been announced that the Young Men's Institute of this city has agreed to raise $250 which it will donate to the fund.

Was it a "Razor?"

Henry Trimbling, a colored man with a police record, was taken into custody last night by Officer Woods at Seventh and Adeline, and charged with carrying a concealed weapon.

A SHINING "STAR."

Miss Laura E. Burt Has Made a Deserved Success on the Stage.

A RAPID ADVANCEMENT.

Vivacity and Ability Soon Brought Her to the Front.

WIDE-SPREAD POPULARITY.

She Is Right in Line for the Interests of Her Profession.

Oakland was paid a handsome tribute today by Miss Laura Burt the charming soubrette who captured the coast in her impersonation of Madge Brierly, the mountain girl of "In Old Kentucky," the play that has had so successful a run at the Macdonough theater this week. Miss Burt enjoys Californian winters, and her first exclamation was over the delightful salubrity of the City of Oaks, as compared with that of San Francisco, which she left last Sunday.

"If I had known of Oakland's charms," she said to a Tribune reporter this morning, "my home would have been here during my San Francisco engagement.

Miss Burt is a young woman of delightful personality, and this, combined with her undisputed claims to a leading place in her profession, makes her one of the most attractive actresses who has ever visited this side of the Rocky Mountains. She is bright, cheerful, jolly and naturally full of the life and gaiety that has given to the role she sustains so much that refreshingly savors of the wild and happy life of freedom from care that is natural to the girl of the mountains. Miss Burt's talents are not turned in a wrong direction when she essays the character she is handling now with such general satisfaction to the overflow audiences that have greeted her everywhere she has been with the company.

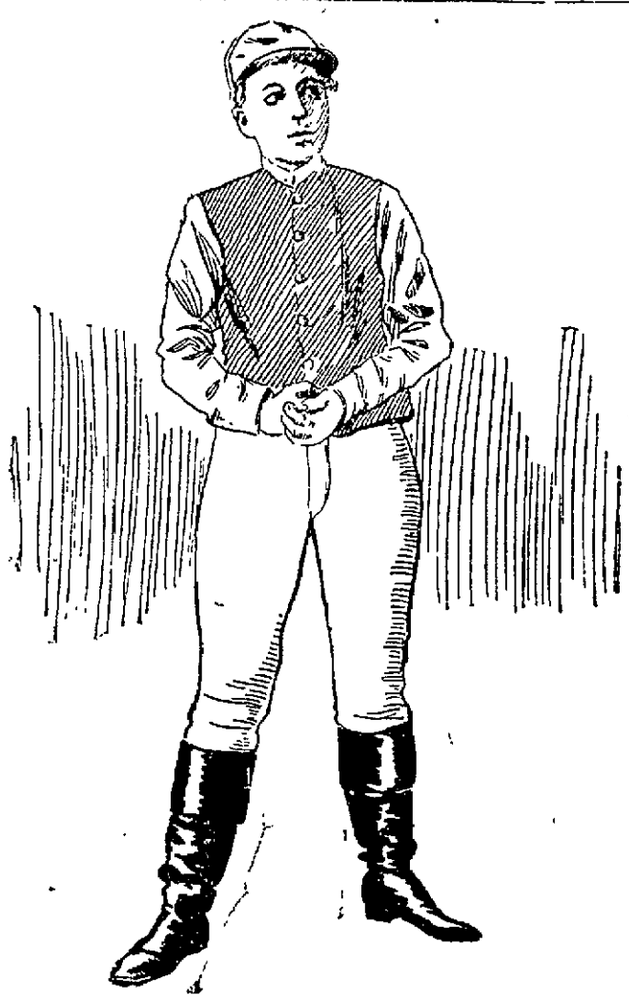
Miss Burt has had only two visits to the Pacific coast. She came here four years ago with the "Blue Jeans" company. She had then attained much success in her profession and she has been adding to it ever since. The little lady is a firm believer in the stage and she does not hesitate to express her views, no matter who may be hurt by them. She will suffer no unwarranted attack to be made upon the profession. One of her characteristic moves in that direction was made a short time ago in Kansas City, when what she considered a gratuitous slur was cast upon the women of the profession by a clergyman of that city, who attacked the stage from his pulpit.

Miss Burt buckled on her armor in defense of her beloved calling and replied in scathing words to the attack. She filled a column or so in one of the Kansas City journals with a reply that drew words of praise from some of the most prominent members of the profession. Among the many commendatory letters Miss Burt received regarding the affair there were two in particular that she prizes most especially. They were from Julia Marlowe and Fanny Davenport, applauding her stand in behalf of the women of the stage.

Miss Burt's bright eyes snapped when she was told today that the pastor of one of Oakland's leading churches had recently scored the theater on grounds or morality. "I wish I had been here," she said. "I should have been glad to have had a tilt with the reverend gentleman. I would be so glad if my efforts would convince one at least that per se the stage is not all its critics denounce it for."

Miss Burt has had during the ten years of her theatrical life a series of most interesting engagements. Perhaps one of her most recent successes was during her tour last year of England and Europe, in the play in which she is now appearing. She created a great impression abroad and returned to the United States with many tokens of appreciation in the way of praise from the critics.

Miss Burt is of Welsh extraction and takes a great interest in the doings of her countrymen in America. She has recently purchased stock in the big Tabernacle at Denver, where the National Welsh Eisteddfod is to be held this year. During her trip West the Welsh Cambrian Society at Salt Lake entertained her and at a reception given in her honor there were fully 500 present.



MISS LAURA E. BURT.

Miss Burt joined the company at Omaha on December 23d. The lady who had been sustaining the role was required to leave and Miss Burt was summoned to fill the vacancy. She had been appearing with a stock company at Boston prior to that.

"In Old Kentucky," during Miss Burt's connection with the play, has had some remarkable runs. At Boston a ten weeks' engagement was played.

The first week's receipts were $15,000 which will take place with the figures of big theatrical engagements in the United States.

Miss Burt has a strong and fond ambition to become a leading lady of note. Her ability in character roles is so well demonstrated that she has been guided in some measure by her friends and has continued to carry those roles. If ability and a charm of manner that is most agreeable count, Miss Burt will realize her ambition very speedily. There were several offers made to her during her San Francisco engagement, but she did not consider them seriously. The company with which she is now playing has dates into April, when it will probably close at Chicago.

Miss Burt's home is in New York. She said today that her mother and herself could find no more congenial and delightful abode than Oakland, did not her professional demands require that she be at the metropolis and the center of the theatrical business of the country.

The company leaves tomorrow for San Jose, Sacramento, and the larger coast cities.

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SAVED EIGHTEEN MEN.

The Schooner Compeer Here After a Noteworthy Voyage.

She Ran Across a Shipwrecked Crew on the Northern Coast.

The schooner Compeer, Captain Sorensen, arrived in the creek last night. She was loaded with lumber from Whatcom, sailed on the 19th and had an eventful voyage, losing one man and picking up eighteen from the British ship Nineveh.

On the morning of the 23d, while the Compeer was coming through the Straits of San Juan de Fuega, E. Lorstrum, a Swedish sailor, fell overboard. He was dressed in a rubber coat and boots at the time, which filled with water and he sank before assistance could reach him.

Wind-bound, the Compeer put into Clallom Bay, but the weather clearing she sailed on the morning of the 24th. The Nineveh was in the bay at the same time, but was towed to sea that afternoon. She was loaded with lumber bound for Sydney.

The wind sprang up on the morning of the 24th and by the morning of the 25th had increased to a hurricane. During the storm the Nineveh, which is an old wooden vessel, built in 1865, sprung a leak. During the night of the 26th it was seen that she could not be kept afloat much longer, although both steam and hand pumps were kept working. Her deck load had shifted, the lee bulwarks were washed away and every sea broke over her.

During the night she sent up rockets which were seen by those on the Compeer, but because of the distance and hazy weather, they could not be distinctly read. When morning came it was seen that the distressed vessel was the Nineveh. The Compeer bore down and took aboard Captain Bradford and his crew of seventeen men. Provisions were short on the schooner and Mate Lapping was sent back aboard the Nineveh to get more. Before leaving her he saturated the cabin with coal oil and set it afire. At 10 o'clock that night she was in sight and still burning. At the time the mate left the sinking vessel there were eleven feet of water in her hold.

Captain Bradford and several of his crew were badly bruised by the shifting timbers. This morning they left the schooner and went to San Francisco to make their report to the British Consul.

CHIRADELLI FIRST.

Arrangements Made for the Trial of the Suspects.

Judge Greene today set the trials of two of the three Italians who are charged with the murder of Varni Felice. The men are to be tried separately and two weeks will be reserved by the court for the trial of each case. That of Michael Ghiradelli will be the first one handled. His case was set for April 7th. Immediately following will be the trial of Joseph Lazarretto whose case was set for April 21st. That of Antonio Devenecenzio was not set because the defendant failed to answer to his name. He did not appear and his case was passed until he is located and brought into court. There is no fear that he has disappeared. His attorney stated that it was probable that he had forgotten the date for his appearance.

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TO TAKE IN THE TOWN.

A First-Class Parade Is to Be Made Washington's Birthday.

Merchants Will Decorate Their Stores and All Will Be Gaiety.

The celebration of Washington's birthday in Oakland will be on a much larger scale than at first intended. The committee in charge has been hard at work making final arrangements and as a result of their labors Oakland will be in true holiday attire. All the merchants on Broadway with the exception of two will decorate their stores elaborately and arrangements have been made for an extensive display of streamers across the streets.

The line of march has been definitely decided upon, and arrangements for the formation of the parade have been made.

The divisions will form on Second and Third streets, then fall in line on Broadway, marching west along Fourth street to Washington, thence up Washington to Fourteenth street, marching east from there to San Pablo avenue. There a turn will be made into San Pablo avenue and out that thoroughfare to Sixteenth street and to Telegraph avenue. Down Telegraph avenue to Seventh street, where the divisions will line up on each side of the street to review the procession of school children.

The parade will be accompanied by five bands and probably a drum corps.

It is expected that the merchants will close their stores until after the street exercises have been completed and alrady a number have signified their willingness. A committee will visit all merchants in a few days, expecting to prevail upon them to take concerted action in this regard.

Arrangements are progressing to have the parade billed in all the towns of the county, and as well quarter cards will be distributed throughout this city.

The following merchants have agreed to decorate their establishments: Fred Gatter, Pioneer Loan Office, Leitch & Co., Louis Camp, L. Jurgens, Ackerman & Co., American Tea Co., Selby & Co., A. D. Dennis, P. Boas, C. N. Rosenberg, M. Cohn & Co., Jos. Harris, Bowman & Sons, J. Rosenberg, C. G. Hardy, R. W. Edwards, Pierce Hardware Co., Kirkland & Trowbridge, J. Letter, F. Senram, Lathrop & Wainer, L. H. Briggs, C. C. Nordhausen, H. Alexander, Jonas Bros., Reilly & Co., Scharmen & Co., Union National Bank, M. J. Keller & Co., A. J. Dibert, P. Flynn, M. Lissner & Co., A. Steffanoni, G. B. Daniels, A. Coplin, Taft & Pennoyer, Chas. Baab, S. Rubel, N. Y. Tea Co., Osgood Bros., Louisville Restaurant, Examiner Office, Union Savings Bank, Evans & Jordan, Land Title Co., R. D. Hunter, S. F. Chronicle, Oakland Times, Palace Restaurant, Alex. Hirshberg, Whitney Express Co., C. C. Bunce, A. H. Rott, Brown & McKinnon, Philadelphia Restaurant, Heron & Holcomb, J. C. Wilson & Co., F. C. Howe, Furniture Manufacturing Co., Dresco & Co., Clark Wise, Leavitt & Bill, S. Anderson, Sherman & Clay, S. Smith, Weltman & Weltman, Miss Williams, Seth F. Thomas, Flint's Drug Store.

FIFTEEN YEARS OLD.

Anniversary Celebration by the Christian Endeavor Union.

The Oakland City Christian Endeavor Union celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor last evening. The young people of the different societies assembled in the First M. E. Church, where speeches and music were the order.

Fifteen years ago Father Clark of Williston organized the first Christian Endeavor Society. The total membership now numbers over 2,500,000.

The programme was as follows: Praise service, led by J. M. Robinson; devotional exercises, conducted by Dr. R. F. Stratton, past president of the County Union; introductory remarks by E. O. Gilbert, president of the Oakland City Union; paper on "International Fellowship," by Geo. H. White; musical selection; paper, "The Work of the Lookout Committee," by C. F. Baker; address, "Christian Endeavorers and Bible Study," by Professor R. R. Lloyd of the Pacific Theological Seminary; consecration service led by the president.

SET THEM FREE.

How an East Oakland Justice Disposed of Horse Stealers.

Editor Tribune: Sir—They have a wondrous way of administering justice in East Oakland. A few days ago a couple of youths named Thomas Wright and Claude Patey were brought before Justice Lawrence charged with stealing horses from the Hewston place. There was no question as to their guilt, but Justice Lawrence, who was on the bench, set them free because they were young. All that is necessary nowadays therefore is to be young in order to escape punishment from crime. Has the bandage been removed from the eyes of justice so that she can see and dispense according to who is before her? Justice Lawrence, though, is perhaps trying to exercise a unique method of being "a just judge." It strikes an onlooker as partaking of the unfair.

H. C. F.

East Oakland, Feb. 4th, 1896.

HE IS NOT CROWLEY.

The Martinez Suspect Not Identified by Charles White.

Sheriff Veale of Contra Costa county has not Phil Crowley, the Haywards bandit, in custody. That was conclusively proven today when the photograph of the suspect reached Sheriff White's office. The photograph bears no resemblance to Crowley. Deputy Sheriff Charles White examined it today and pronounced it not to be the man who was so near him in the little cabin on San Lorenzo creek.

Sheriff Veale has been notified that so far as Sheriff White is concerned the local officers have no use for the vagrant who was suspected of being the notorious desperado and escaped convict.

TOWN TOPICS.

The meeting of the Catholic Ladies' Aid Society will take place tomorrow afternoon at Y. M. I. Hall, 1058 Broadway.

A Talk on Siam.

Mrs. S. B. Cheek, formerly of Siam, will lecture on the land of the white elephant tomorrow evening at the Y. W. C. A. parlors, 1421 Franklin street. The talk, which will begin at 7:45, will be illustrated with curios and photographs of the strange country. The ways of the Siamese are comparatively unfamiliar to the average person and Mrs. Clark's address should prove very interesting. Her knowledge has been obtained by personal research

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PICKED UP A PURSE.

Edward Bishop on Trial on a Charge of Larceny.

The Case Against Him Is Weak and Acquittal Seems Certain.

Henry Dusterberry was excused today by Judge Greene from further duty as a juror on the present term panel. He convinced the court he was too deaf to hear ordinary conversation. Dusterberry explained that he had not been excused by Judge Frick because that judge may have believed he was "faking" in order to shirk jury duty. It was apparent, however, that Dusterberry could not hear the tones of Deputy District Attorney Melvin, so Judge Greene allowed him to go.

This was an incident in the examination of talesmen to secure a jury for the trial of aged Edward Bishop on a charge of grand larceny. Bishop is accused of having on March 6th of last year picked up a purse containing $64 belonging to Hirsch & Wachsmann. Instead of finding the owners Bishop appropriated the money to himself.

He was held for trial by Judge Wood several months ago on evidence that even the District Attorney's office admits is of a very weak character. The trial will not occupy more than a day and Bishop will probably be acquitted.

TO THE CARNIVAL.

Excursions to Be Run to the Truckee Ice Palace.

Oaklanders are to have an opportunity to visit the ice carnival at Truckee, and many will doubtlessly embrace it. Excursion trains will leave Sixteenth street depot, this city, at 6:36 P. M. on Friday and Saturday evenings of this week. The round trip including sleepers will cost but $7.50.

The Truckee ice carnival has been a great success and has attracted many tourists. To Oaklanders, to whom snow and ice are foreign quantities, the delights of the carnival will be multiplied.

An Inter-Scholastic Debate.

The Oakland High school and Lowell High school of San Francisco will hold an inter-scholastic debate on April 10th. The debaters will represent each side and each will be allowed 15 minutes. Each leader will be allowed five minutes to close his arguments. The question has not as yet been chosen.

A Place to Picnic.

New picnic grounds have been located by the Southern Pacific on the Santa Cruz line. They are in the mountains near Alma and are charmingly located. The company will spend $25,000 fitting them up and they will undoubtedly prove very popular.

Must Try It Again.

The complaint in the case of Prof. Von Hirsch was dismissed this morning on technical grounds. It did not conform with the language of the statute. A new complaint will be filed.

Library Registration.

New cards are being issued and a new registration made at the Free Library. There are a number of members who are dead or left Oakland and the object of the work is to get an exact list of the now active members. The work is being done without inconvenience to the patrons.

Off to Los Angeles.

Attorney G. W. Baker and W. E. Dargie left this afternoon for Los Angeles.

C. W. Kinsey, Dealer in New Modern and Second-Hand Furniture.

Carpets and ranges retailed at low prices for cash. Will pay cash for or exchange good modern furniture in any quantity. Makes auction sales on premises. Call and see.

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DIED.

PLACE—In West Oakland, February 4, 1896, Leonard P. Place, beloved father of Mrs. I. M. Wentworth, Mrs. Fred Seale, Mrs. William H. White of Elmwood, Massachusetts, and Charles L. Place of Stockton, a native of Rochester, New Hampshire, aged 82 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services TOMORROW, Thursday, February 6, 1896, at 2 o'clock P. M., from his late residence, 1622 Fourteenth street. Interment private.

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A branch office of The Tribune has been opened in the stationery and embroidery store of Mrs. M. A. Cahill, 1215 New Broadway, near Fourteenth street. There small advertisements and subscriptions may be left. Advertisements will be received and published the same day up to 1:30 o'clock.

BUSINESS PERSONALS.

A FIRST class cook wishes a few more engagements to get up dinner and lunch parties for private families. Best of references given. Address or apply, Mrs. Amauvic, 843 Isabella st., near San Pablo av.

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ATTORNEYS.

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PHIL M. WALSH—Attorney-at-law. City Justices Court building, SE cor. Broadway and 8th sts.

CARLTON W. GREENE—Attorney-at-law, with dist. att'y. Court House.

GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal.; practices in all courts.

BEN. F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

DODGE & FRY—Attorneys-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 21 and 22, Blake & Moffitt building.

HARRY A. MELVIN—Attorney-at-law; office of prosecuting att'y, City Hall.

Z. N. GOLDSBY—Attorney-at-law, No. 957 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2.

FRANK W. SAWYER—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 72-3-4, Oakland.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law. Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

WASTE & STETSON—Attorneys and counselors-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 13 and 14, Blake & Moffitt building, Oakland, California.

E. H. SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 53 and 54.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of 9th st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 861 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 854½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SNOOK & CHURCH—Attorneys-at-law, room 3, dist. atty's office, Court House.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR.—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

W. F. ARAM—Attorney-at-law, 856 Broadway.

NOTARY PUBLICS.

O. I. DENISON—Notary public, real estate; houses rented. 473 10th st.

REMOVED—N. W. Winton, notary public and dealer in real estate, has removed to 968 Broadway between 9th and 10th. Call and see his list of properties.

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A WOMAN wants situation to do general housework. Call at 869 Washington st., room 1

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A MIDDLE aged swedish girl wishes a place to take care of children or invalid; best references good sewer. Apply to Mrs. Anderson, 958 Willow st.

WANTED—Situation by Swedish girl as cook and at general housework; good cook; please call 1319 12th st.

SITUATION wanted by a first class coachman and gardener; best references; five years in last place. Address Gardener, 1034 Adeline st.

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PRACTICAL landscape gardener wants work by day. Apply at 860 Clay st., upstairs. Louis Zillich.

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LOST—An Irish setter bitch pup; strayed from 1325 Chestnut st.; finder will receive suitable reward by returning same to 1325 Chestnut st., Oakland.

LOST—Cape to child's dark overcoat on Saturday last bet. Oakland Theater and Haywards car. Return to C. G. Dodge, 906 Broadway, Oakland.

LOST—Friday evening on 8th st. bet. Jefferson and Kirkham sts., a black crocheted cape, hood and fur. Return to 825 Kirkham st., and receive reward.

LOST—A black silk velvet cape with a pair of ladies undressed tan gloves in the pocket; cape has Abrahamson's trade mark on it; reward of $5 will be paid by the owner if returned to No. 1375 6th av., and no questions asked.

LOST—An English pug dog, female, answers to the name of Beauty. Finder will be rewarded by returning to 136 Telegraph av.

FOUND—Purse on 18th and San Pablo av. containing money. Call at office of Juanita Hotel.

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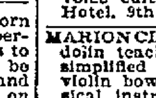

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The librarian reported as follows:

Number of borrowers on January 1, 1896, 10 850; number of applicants registered, 143; number of borrowers withdrawn, 14; number of borrowers February 1, 10,979; volumes added by purchase, 21.

Mrs. L. H. Codington, curator of the North Oakland reading room reported the average attendance for January to be 132.

D. Strong of the Central reading room reported the attendance at 780.

At the West Oakland reading room the average attendance was 315.

Over in East Oakland the average was 156.

At Twenty-third avenue it was 157.

A number of new books were ordered.

The following bills were reported on favorably by the auditing committee and ordered paid:

Alameda Encinal, $7.50; B. K. Allen, $11; S. Anderson, $11.35; C. Boman, $15; J. C. Bullock, $18; C. C. Water Co., $1.25; Carruth & Carruth, $7.50, $35.80; W. J. Cassidy, $9.35; E. A. De Lameter, $4.95; Crab & Co., $35 50; Dodd, Mead & Co., $11.65; Emery & Prosser, $11, Johnson Emigh, $5 73; J. H. McDonald, $50; Maxwell & Sons, $40; Oakland Electrical Works, $1.75; Oakland G. L. & Heat Co., $114.80; Oakland Postoffice, $2; Oakland Printing Co., $13; Safety Filter Co., $1.50; S. F. Bulletin, $2.30; Tribune Pub. Co., $28.50; Twenty-third avenue and East Fourteenth street Imprivement Company, $15; W. E. T. Wehr, $3.90; Pacific Press Pub. Co., $30.80; Orion I. O. O. F. Hall Association, $18.

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CHANGES COMING.

Some Political Surprises Are in Store for Oakland.

TWO NEW ORGANIZATIONS.

"Patriots of America" Who Will Include Five Parties.

"REGULAR REPUBLICANS."

The Banner Organization of the Seventh Ward to Meet.

The following is in circulation:
BLANK FOR OBTAINING CHARTER
Name of Lodge Pioneer,
Postoffice Address,
Oakland, California.
State of California, }
} ss.
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In testimony whereof we have hereunto affixed our signatures.
A. BRETZ,
H. S. ALDRICH,
HENRY P. DALTON,
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EUGENE HOUGH.
Subscribed to in my presence and sworn to before me this, the ..... day of ..... 189..
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Name of Officer.
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Official Designation.

REGULAR REPUBLICANS.

A New Political Organization Is Starting in West Oakland.

Some startling political changes appear to be shaping themselves in Oakland. The following letter has been in circulation for some days past, and it has been read with interest in political circles:
The undersigned citizens and voters in the city of Oakland hereby associate ourselves together under the name of the Regular Republican club of the First ward of the city of Oakland.
Believing that the highest interests of the people and of the Republican party are involved in the approaching election of 1896, and that to successfully conserve those interests, the Republican party should be independent of and free from all control by monopolies, rings and bosses, and absolutely in the control of the people, at the primaries and conventions ,we hereby pledge ourselves to promote clean and honorable politics, to the end that the Republican voters of the city of Oakland and Alameda county shall have and hold forever in their own hands, free from boss rule, the management of all matters pertaining to the political interests of the people and the Republican party.
RULES FOR ORGANIZING.
First—The selection of permanent officers shall take place when the membership of the club is fifty.
Second—After a permanent organization is effected, precinct committees may be elected at a regular meeting, but not otherwise. An executive committee may also be elected, but in no case shall any permanent committee be elected, except it be by a vote of the club at a regular meeting. The chair shall appoint.
Third—The precinct committee shall be severally selected by the members of the club from such precinct, and reported to the club for confirmation, on which confirmation shall be a vote of the club.

Name.	Residence.
Dalton	First
Sands	Second
H. Walker	Third
Fowler	Fourth
Buckland	Fifth
Dow	Seventh

J. M. Havens, president.
F. Jackson, secretary.
Laidlaw.
Dr. Fall.
Aldrich.

THE SEVENTH WARD.

The Banner Republican Body Is Called to Conference

Political lines in the Seventh ward have suddenly assumed an interesting aspect, and it is said that if the movement now on foot, originated by an aspirant for political office, is successful, much ill-feeling will result.
Those interested in seeing harmony prevail in Republican ranks in East Oakland are taking considerable interest in the meeting called for the organization of a Republican Club at Judge Lawrence's office Friday night.
For several years the Seventh ward has had strong organization and the Seventh Ward Republican Club, of which Geo. C Fardee is president, and Frank Jordan is secretary, has wielded a large influence through the active endeavors of its 300 members. Influential members of this club claim that the call issued for the organization of another club is ill advised and bad policy, and several go so far as to say that it is simply to advance the claims of one aspiring to the State Senatorship They say that it is too early to consider the question of selection of candidates for this important office, and that all that is necessary at present is to perfect the plans of the present strong Republican organization by having a meeting of the Seventh Ward Republican Club held, new officers elected, new and efficient committees appointed and active preparations made for the coming National and State campaign. To this end a call has been issued and sent to all members of the Seventh Ward Club to meet Friday night at 8 o'clock, at Judge Lawrence's courtroom, and at this meeting the new officers will be elected and proper steps taken looking to active political work.
The prevailing opinion is that the Seventh Ward Republican Club should be continued as the representative political body of the ward and that no other club should be organized, and that when the proper time arrives to consider the claims of the different candidates, the club can in a manner satisfactory to all decide as to whom to support as the choice of the Seventh ward.
Incidentally it has cropped out that Assemblyman Dodge is going to make a fight for the Senatorship and that he will have as a prominent opponent Fred S. Stratton. Both have many friends. Stratton in the Seventh has a strong following, owing to the fact that his boyhood days were spent in East Oakland and naturally Seventh warders feel favorably disposed to one who has achieved so much success as he has. Still the matter of preference will depend on the influence exercised by the members of the Seventh Ward Club. The meeting, therefore, Friday will be a most interesting one and a large attendance and interesting proceedings are anticipated. In fact, it will be the first really important meeting of this most interesting political year.

THE SECOND WARD.

The Republican Campaign Club to Meet Tomorrow Evening.

Permanent organization of the Second Ward Republican Campaign Club is to be effected at Milton Hall Twenty-eighth street and San Pablo avenue, tomorrow evening. The meeting is to commence at half-past 8.
At the gathering last week thirty-five or forty electors being present, F. R Porter was chosen president, and John N. Bonham secretary. Business at Thursday night's assembly will comprise a number of matters.
A full board of officers is to be named and an executive committee will be selected. There will be debate and probable action on the proposition to form the Oakland Republican Club with delegates five or more, from the various ward clubs. The move to capture the Republican State Convention for Oakland is to be a topic of discussion.
The Republicans of the Second ward are all to be solicited to join the club, and a canvassing committee may be appointed tomorrow evening.

POPULISTS CLASH.

A Struggle for the Right to Organize in the Seventh Ward.

There is trouble among the Populists in the Seventh ward. Two factions representing different portions of the ward are fighting for organization. Two clubs are in formative state, one at Thirteenth avenue and the other at Twenty-third avenue. Each is gathering adherents as rapidly as possible, and proposes to make a hard fight for recognition at the hands of the county committee. During the last campaign both clubs were allowed delegates but it is believed but one will be accredited this year.

A SHIP ASHORE.

A British Bark in a Very Bad Way Near Port Townsend.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
PORT TOWNSEND, Feb. 4—The British ship Kilbeannan from Callao went ashore on Point Wilson near Port Townsend at 3 o'clock and will probably be a total loss.
She came up the straits before a strong northwest wind and struck near the light house, all sails going by the board.
The ship went over on her starboard beam, the seas breaking clear over her.
An attempt was made to launch two boats, but they were carried away.
Tugs were sent out but could render no assistance.

BREAKING FOR BLACKBURN

Exciting Scenes Are Witnessed in the Kentucky Legislature.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
FRANKFORT, Ky, Feb. 5.—Today's ballot for Senator resulted: Hunter 66, Blackburn 62, Carlisle 3, McCreary 2, Bate 1.
Senator Hayward caused the first break in the anti-Blackburn column by voting for Blackburn.
Senator Holloway followed up the break by voting for Blackburn.
Both votes were wildly cheered.

A TANK ON FIRE.

An Afternoon Blaze at the Alameda Oil Works.

Special to The Tribune.
ALAMEDA, Feb. 5.—An oil tank at the Alameda Oil Works took fire at 3:15 o'clock this afternoon.
It was soon extinguished.
Little damage was done.

A Victory for Monopoly.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
LONDON, Feb. 5.—The Press Association announces that the Scotch oil combine has completely dissolved, with heavy losses to investors, and the Standard Oil Company is again master of the situation.

Reduced Again.

Another reduction in Coos Bay coal. Now delivered at $7 per ton.

Use Adam's Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum.
Use Adams Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum.

A RIVER OF GOLD.

Splendid Bids Received for the New Bond Issue.

THE COUNTRY'S ALL RIGHT.

Over $550,000,000 Offered to Relieve the Strain.

HREMIUMS RANGE TO 119.

The Pacific Coast Represented by a Good Offer.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Secretary of the Treasury today opened bids for the purchase of $100,000,000 United States four per cent thirty year bonds received under his call dated January 6th last.
The bonds, redeemable in coin, will be issued in denominations of $50 or multiples of that sum, as desired by the bidders.
At 9 o'clock this morning the clerk in the loans and currency division began opening and scheduling the bids.
The clerks were not allowed to leave the room until the time for receiving the bids closed, so that by no chance could any information regarding the bids be prematurely disclosed.
The bids were announced from the schedule already prepared in the Secretary's office, where a large number of bidders and representatives of the press gathered.
The interest manifested today at the treasury department in the opening of the bids for the present loan far exceeded that attending either of the others.
As early as 5:30 o'clock many prominent capitalists from New York and other Eastern cities began to put in an appearance at the treasury.
All the morning bond bids came in rapidly, swelling the already long string of bidders.
Every mail brought a list of bond bids and at 11 o'clock the expectations of the treasury officials were rising and predictions were made freely that the loan was largely over subscribed and the bonds would bring a good price
At 11:30 a large crowd assembled about the Secretary's door and was allowed to enter and all available space was soon occupied.
The opening and scheduling of the bids was conducted under the direction of Assistant Secretary Curtis by a committee consisting of United States Treasurer Morgan, Comptroller of Currency Eckels, and Mr. Huntington, chief of the division of loans and currency.
Secretary Carlisle entered at 12 o'clock.
The room was so densely crowded that it was with much difficulty he could make his way to a seat.
LOTS OF THEM.
12:15 P M.—Mr. Eckels of the committee, announced that up to this time there had been received 3,707 bids aggregating $389,232,600, ranging in price from par to $1.19, and a fraction.
Other bids not yet opened would probably raise the number to 4,500, aggregating $75,000,000 more
The big syndicate bids were not received until this morning and the result was that it was impossible at 1 o'clock to give the amounts or prices, the force of the treasury clerks being swamped in the work of tabulating the vast number of bids received prior to today.
Those earlier bidders, with the exception of Robert E. Glendenning, Philadelphia, $500,000 at $112.75, and Albert L. Judson, $500,000 at $113.75, all bid for amounts below half a million, ranging from $ to about $300,000
Joseph Pulitzer bid for $1,000,000 at $114. In a note accompanying the bid, Pulitzer says: "This bid, at the highest market of today, is in lieu of the offer of the New York World to head the list with a subscription to a popular loan on a basis, which was not adopted, of open subscription at a fixed and equal rate."
J. Pierpont Morgan, Harvey Fisk & Son, and the Deutcher Bank of Berlin, as a syndicate, bid for $100,000,000 at $110.6878.
Up to 1:40 4,640 bids for $684,269,850 had been opened.
Mr. Eckels announced that the bid for $100,000,000 from a doctor in Michigan and $16,000,000 from one in Texas, were regarded as bogus and the total of $684,269,850 should be reduced by the amount of these.
The Bank of California, San Francisco, bid $112.78 for $100,000.
The total (corrected) number of bids received for the new loan is 4,640, aggregating $558,569,850.
Secretary Carlisle was greatly pleased at the brilliantly conspicuous success of the loan and said it showed what the people of this country would do when appealed to. He thought the effect abroad would be very marked in our favor.
THE TRUST COMPANY.
NEW YORK, Feb 5—President John A. Stewart of the United States Trust Co., says: "Our bids for government bonds were for $76,000,000 at a fixed price of $110.75 which nets about 3⅝% and an additional $10,000,000 at a lower figure He says he has received reliable information from Washington that no bids below $111 will be accepted."

A STEAMER STRANDED.

A British Boat From the Mediterranean in Trouble.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
FIRE ISLAND, Feb. 5.—The Lone Hill life saving station reports a steamer ashore between Blue Point and Beelport.
Life savers have gone out.
Captain O'Rourke of the Blue Point life saving station says the steamer ashore is the British steamer Lamington, Captain Duff, from Mediterranean ports for New York, with a cargo of fruit.
The point where the Lamington went ashore is fifteen miles east of Fire Island
They are landing the crew in a breeches buoy.
The vessel is in an easy position, making no water.
A dispatch from Fire Island says alll the crew of the stranded steamer Lamington were safely landed.

Dyspepsia cured by using Adam's Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum after each meal.

Death of Editor Smith.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—After an illness of nearly a month, Dr. Justin A. Smith, editor of the Standard, died last evening. Dr. Smith was 76 years old, and almost two-thirds of his life served as editor of a leading Baptist denominational paper in the West.

A Bank Assigns.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
CONNORSVILLE, Ind., Feb. 5.—The Citizens' Bank, owned by ex-United States Treasurer Husten, assigned this morning. It is stated all deposits will be paid in full.

Bear Is in Mourning.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—Lady Jane Francesca Spernsa Wilde, widow of Sir William Robert Wilde, M. D., surgeon oculist to her majesty, in Ireland, and mother of Oscar Wilde, is dead.

A Catholic Dignitary.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
ROME, Feb 5.—Rev. Father Hoban has been appointed Bishop of Scranton, Pa.

ROYALTY IN MOURNING.

Battenberg's Funeral Attended by a Notable Concourse.

A Guard of Honor Formed by Naval Brigades From the Fleet.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
COWES, Isle of Wight, Feb. 5.—Business all over the Isle of Wight was practically suspended today and the inhabitants flocked to this city to pay a last tribute to Prince Henry of Battenburg, husband of Princess Beatrice, who died Jan. 20th on his way from Cape Coast Castle to Madeira.
Marines and blue jackets were landed to take part in the procession.
About 10 o'clock the Duke of Connaught and Duchess of Albany, and later the Princess Beatrice, her children and the Princess Louise, drove from Osborne House to Cowes and embarked on the Alberta. There the children placed a handsome wreath on the coffin.
After the religious ceremonies the funeral cortege proceeded to Whippingham church.
The route from Trinity pier was lined with guards from the fleet, behind which thronged sight-seers and sympathizers.
Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, George J. Goschen, First Lord of the Admiralty, A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury, and Viscount Cross, Lord of the Privy Seal, were present.
The Marquis of Salisbury and other Ministers at the same hour were attending a special funeral service in honor of the late Prince Henry in Westminster Abbey.

HE IS FOR VENEZUELA.

Henry M. Stanley Speaks on the Big Boundary Broil.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, now a member of the British Parliament, has written a letter to Mayor J. B. Pond of this city touching the Venezuela question. In the course of it he says:
"Now, on this Venezuela subject I am entirely on the side of America, but I must admit that I am not surprised that the English papers backed up Salisbury and differ from me.
Taught by the virulent remarks of your journals, I had, of course, devoted much time to understanding it, whereas English editors are exceedingly ill-informed.
"Then there are two or three injudicious remarks in Olney's dispatch which puts British backs up, but after reflection it is wonderful how many have come round to my opinion that whatever the transgressions of Olney there is a great deal of justice in the American demand.
"I feel quite sure now that so much is admitted it will not be long before the opinion becomes general that we were in the wrong in refusing arbitration, while the more I think of Olney, I think that Olney could scarcely have written otherwise than he did.
"I argue that had he contented himself with the usual suave tone of diplomacy he would not have succeeded in rousing the attention of the nation to the necessity of settlement. His dispatch would have lain quietly buried in the archives of the foreign office, whereas every Englishman knows sufficiently of the subject to distinguish right from wrong, and while there is still a majority who take the dispatch to be an effront to British dignity, there is a minority increasing in numbers who think that British honor would be best consulted by considering the justice done to Venezuela and that British interests would be promoted by acquiescing with the American demand."

Morrison on Silver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—William R. Morrison, the Inter-State Commerce Commissioner denies the report that he sent the Illinois Democratic leaders word that the free silver idea must be abandoned or he would refuse to be a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination.

RIGHTS FOR REBELS.

The Cuban Cause Is Reported Today to the Senate.

A HARD ONE FOR SPAIN.

Call Will Push the Matter Through Without Delay.

PRIZE-FIGHTERS DEFEATED.

The House Puts a Clincher on the Coming Fistic Festival.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5—The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations today agreed upon a substitute for a resolution heretofore reported on the question of the recognition of Cuba, and authorized Senator Morgan to report it to the Senate. It is:
"Resolved, By the Senate, and the House of Representatives concurring, that in the opinion of Congress a condition of war exists between the government of Spain and the government proclaimed and for some time maintained by force of arms of the people of Cuba, and that the people of the United States of America should maintain a strict neutrality between the contending powers and accord each all the rights of belligerents in the ports and territory of the United States."
The committee also voted to make an effort to take up the Cuban question in the Senate as soon as the urgent deficiency bill and a resolution of distribution for the appropriation bills can be disposed of.

THE SENATE.

Hansbrough's Resolution Shuts Off the Quay Move.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—When the Senate convened today there was a full representation of Senators, and the galleries were also well filled in anticipation of debate and possibly a vote on Quay's motion to recommit the tariff silver bill with instructions.
Morgan (Ala.) from the committee on foreign relations reported the Cuban belligerency resoution, saying it met with his full approval.
Call (Fla) gave notice he would call up the resolution as soon as he could secure the attention of the Senate.
At 12.40 Quay's motion to recommit the free coinage substitute for the tariff bill was laid before the Senate.
It was found that the prior resolution of Hansbrough, directing the Secretary of Agriculture to execute the law as to seeds distribution, had precedence.
After some discussion it was agreed that if the seed resolution could be disposed of before 2 o'clock, Quay's resolution would be taken up. If not, the Quay resolution will come up tomorrow.
Shortly after 2 o'clock Senator Vest concluded on Hansbrough's seed resolution, and without action on it the resolution for distributing appropriation bills among the various committees was taken up.

THE HOUSE.

A Bill to Prevent the Prize-Fight Festival at El Paso.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—In the House today, Delegate Catron of New Mexico introduced a bill to prevent the pugilistic festival from taking place near El Paso.
The bill makes fighting a misdemeanor, punishable by imprisonment not less than five years
Catron asked for unanimous consent for consideration but Knox, Republican, of Massachusetts, objected and the bill was referred.
The District of Columbia appropriation on which a fight has been made over charitable appropriations, was defeated today by a vote of yeas 145 to 143 nays.
The House has passed an anti-prize fighting bill without division.
At 3 o'clock the House went into Committee of the Whole for consideration of the Senate substitute for the House bond bill.

PLENTY OF READY CASH.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
ST. LOUIS, February 5.—The Republic this morning says that a new line from St. Louis to the Southwest is likely to be the result of the contemplated separation of the 'Frisco from the Santa Fe system.
D. H. R. Green, president of the Texas Midland and son of the well-known Hetty Green, was in the city yesterday and had a conference with Major Morrill of the 'Frisco and other prominent railroad men.
He said to the 'Frisco people that in the event of the separation of that road from the Santa Fe system he was prepared to use his own money and his mother's in the construction of certain branch and auxiliary lines which would give St. Louis an entrance into Central Texas by a route many miles shorter than that which it now enjoys.
From St. Louis to Paris, Texas, the 'Frisco runs in a line which is more direct than any other route.
From Paris to Greenville there is a gap that President Green proposes to fill.
From Greenville to Ennis the Texas Midland is already in operation and between Ennis and Waco there is also a gap of sixty-five miles which President Green is ready to build upon receipt of notice that the 'Frisco will begin to operate its road upon an independent basis.
To Dallas from Quinlan, a point on the Texas Midland, there is only an unfilled space of something like sixty-two miles and this will be built by Mr. Green and the people whom he represents.
Between Dallas and Fort Worth there is only a little gap to be filled to make the new line complete.

THE STATE WILL SETTLE.

Menzenmeyer's Attempts to Beat the Game Are Thwarted.

The Necessary Evidence Will at Once Start for the North.

Whether or not Sheriff White will send to Victoria now for Albert Menzenmeyer depends entirely upon the action of Governor Budd. The announcement of Chief of Police Shepherd of that city that the officer who goes with the requisition papers will also have to produce witnesses and be prepared to fight for the fugitive's transfer into their custody has rather upset the calculations of the local officers. They see no way for the county to meet the heavy cost. It is estimated that fully $1000 will be necessary to cover all the expenses. Witnesses will have to be paid mileage, and the attorneys of Victoria have a reputation of not laboring from motives of glory and no consequent gain. They would probably charge a round, fat fee for their services.
Besides, Sheriff White has been notified through the District Attorney's office that the expense is not a legal charge necessary to be borne by the State. The only salvation now is to procure the necessary authorization of expenditure from Governor Budd, who is empowered to allow certain expense for extraordinary purposes Whether he will deem the present exigency one that should be met is a question for which the local officers are seeking an answer at his hands.
Sheriff White has also learned that Menzenmeyer is making preparations for a battle. He has refused to return without extradition. His wife has written to him and has said she proposes to go to Victoria at once and assist her husband in his efforts to secure his freedom before the officers from here have an opportunity to press their claim to him as a fugitive. Altogether the prospect is not very brilliant for a successful coup.
ALL SETTLED.
This afternoon Attorney Fitzgerald notified District Attorney Spook that the State will pay the bill. Al White will probably leave tonight for the scene.

WHEN THE SAFE BLOWS UP.
If your clothes get singed when the safe blows up get a new suit for $16 from us. Dozens of varieties.
A. JACOBS & CO.,
958, 960, 960½ WASHINGTON STREET.

COURT CALENDAR.

THURSDAY, February 6, 1896.
Department 1, Judge Frick—Marshall vs. Anderson.
Department 2, Judge Ogden—Wettstein vs. Southern Pacific Company; E. E. Decker vs. his creditors; Mann vs Hart; Souza vs Trefry.
Department 3, Judge Ellsworth—Reserved.
Department 4, Judge Greene—People vs. Henry Wilkinson.

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The Wheat Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Wheat—Quiet: Dec. $1.17; May $1.19¾.
Barley—Steady: May 72½c; Feb. 70½c.
CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Wheat: Feb. 65⅝c; May 67⅝c.
Oats—Feb. 19⅝@19½c; May 21½c bid.

All Right.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.
PORT TOWNSEND, Feb. 5.—The British steamer Argenberod from Japan arrived this morning. She is long overdue and great fears have been expressed for her safety.

The Prescription Clerk
Has to keep his wits about him to remember a thousand and one things; must be error proof, careful and painstaking. If he does not possess all these virtues and numerous others, he has missed his vocation. And this is as it should be, as he often balances
Life and Death
in his hands. None but competent pharmacists are allowed to prepare prescriptions for us. Then as we use only the highest grade of drugs we feel justified in soliciting your patronage.
BOWMAN & CO., Druggists Cor. Ninth and Broadway.

DOCTORS DISAGREE.

Expert Testimony That There Is No Railroad Spine.

A CONFLICT OF IDEAS.

Dr. Shiels Takes the Stand In the Wettstein Suit.

A NEW TURN IS TAKEN.

The Railroad Company Gives Its Side of the Case.

The case of Wettstein against the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, in which the plaintiff is suing for $20,000 damages, was resumed before Judge Ogden this morning. There was present a large number of spectators in the lobby, while within the bar there were Drs. Shiels, Laine, Barber, Fisher, Selfridge, Dunn, Crowley and Woolsey. Supt. A. D. Wilder was also an eager auditor.

The first witness was George E. Gaylord, who said that it is his duty to instruct gatemen on the Seventh street local train as to their duties. He said also that he had instructed Gateman Adams that he must allow no person to board the train after the train had got under motion and that nobody was to be allowed to get on the train without exhibiting transportation.

On cross-examination he said that he had not issued special instructions to gatemen to provide for their government in cases where people succeeded in getting on the lower steps of a platform after the train had got under way.

Dr. George Franklin Shiels of San Francisco, who has been the chief medical expert for the plaintiff, was then placed on the stand. He told of his having graduated from the medical university at Edinburgh, his connection with foreign medical societies, also with the University of California, and post-graduate courses of that institution in San Francisco.

He said that he had acted as a medical expert in a number of cases and that he is now acting in that capacity for the Southern Pacific Company, although he is not regularly in the employ of that corporation. Although testifying now for the Southern Pacific, next week he will be the leading medical expert in the case of Ireland against that company, in which $75,000 is involved.

He said that he had heard all the testimony given in the case by the physicians who had appeared for the plaintiff.

Mr. Moore then propounded a suppositious case, based upon the experience of Wettstein from the time, as alleged, he was pushed off the Seventh street cars. It was shown that after the accident Wettstein had walked through a number of the streets of the city hunting up his attorney; that he had employed an assistant for ten days in the saloon business and then discharged the assistant, since which time the plaintiff had done his own work; on examination of his person it was found as alleged that he was without bruise or blemish; as a consequence of his injuries the patient had not been obliged to remain in his home or bed. The Colonel's career was then recounted, all the facts being the same as were brought out in the cross-examination of the witnesses for the plaintiff.

The witness was then asked if he understood the question.

Dr. Shiels replied that he thought he did and that it was unnecessary to have it re-read by the reporter.

The plaintiff objected to the question on the ground that it did not state all the facts of the case.

The question was then amended so as to strike out the assertion that Wettstein had no assistant ten days after the accident.

Witness was then asked if he thought the injuries complained of were the result of the accident described. He replied that he did not think they were.

The doctor was then asked what would be the condition of a man who had sustained the injuries referred to by Dr. Woolsey.

"He would be almost deaf, blind, incapacitated for anything and would be a physical wreck," was the reply.

"What is your opinion as to the plaintiff's being a man well nourished or otherwise?"

"I would say that he is a well-nourished man."

"Have you ever seen, at home or abroad, a man who could present the appearance of Colonel Wettstein and have sustained the injuries which Dr. Woolsey describes?"

"No, sir. Such a man would be a wreck. It would be absolutely impossible for him to be otherwise than a physical wreck."

The witness further declared that he did not believe in the theory of concussion of the spine which would bring about the symptoms complained.

Several diagrams of the human trunk and spinal column were then hung on the blackboard against the objection of the plaintiff.

Several points both on the cord and vertebrae were pointed out and the doctor was asked what he thought about the alleged injury, as testified to by the plaintiff, to the spinal cord under the fourth, third and second vertebrae.

"There could be no injury to the cord," was the reply, "because there is no spinal cord under those vertebrae."

The doctor then explained that lesion is a general term for injury, that gross lesion is such as may be seen by the eye, and microscopical lesion is such as requires a microscope to discover.

"Is there any such thing as railroad spine?"

"There is absolutely no such thing as railroad spine. A person may sustain an injury by a momentary jar, by stepping down unexpectedly, slipping off something, or being knocked out in a fight, but these are all mechanical injuries, without any special definition. There is no such thing as railroad spine."

The doctor then told how the spinal cord is protected from shocks. The cord, he said, is protected with what might be called three envelopes, and in addition there is a bony canal or tunnel. The cord is tied to this canal with delicate ligaments. Besides, it is surrounded by the cerebro spinal fluid. In front of the cord are blocks of bones, between which nature has put elastic discs, the effect of which is like rubber on a man's cane when he strikes the ground, preventing a jar. Besides there is protection between the articulate process, ligaments behind and ligaments at the side of the body of the vertebrae—in a word the spinal cord is the most beautifully protected feature of the human body. The curvature in the spinal column is so arranged by nature that any shock is without injury except one of great violence.

AN OFFER TO EXPERT

The principal feature of the case yesterday afternoon was the offer of the counsel for the plaintiff, which attracted some attention. The offer was to submit the plaintiff to a physical examination by any number of physicians which the defendant might desire to appoint for that purpose, the plaintiff to have a representative present, and the examination to last one hour, or to be extended two hours if it could be done without fatiguing the patient. Counsel also offered to have the court appoint a disinterested medical expert, who had not figured on any side of the case, to come in and give testimony in the matter.

The offer was rejected by Mr. Moore, claiming that it was only a bluff on the part of the plaintiff.

A TEMPORARY OFFICER.

W. B. Smith Is Appointed to Fire Department Honors.

At the meeting of the Fire and Police Commissioners held yesterday afternoon, W. B. Smith was appointed temporarily to fill the position of first assistant chief. He is a candidate for the position, as is ex-Fire Warden Murdock and W. W. Hoag but the Commissioners had not decided upon a permanent man, and as an assistant chief was necessary Smith was delegated to act until they can make their selection.

Chief Lloyd also jumped the Mayor in a communication. His requisitions, he says, are relegated to oblivion when they enter the Mayor's office for his signature. Lloyd wants an index book and a pawnshop record, both of which were allowed by the Board, but have since been lost in the office of the Mayor. "I make this last effort to rescue the same prior to calling upon the Council," he wrote. The communication was referred to the committee of the whole for discussion.

T. J. Crowley was appointed foreman of truck No. 1, vice Robt. Fleming and Z. G. Wheeler was given J. Cuddy's place as extra man of truck No. 3.

W. W. Hoag's petition for assistant engineer was filed.

Chief Fair was granted permission to employ a man for repairing work for three days at $3 a day.

Draw Crowded Houses.

Professor Alexander has the reputation of being the only lecturer in the phrenological field that has ever been able to draw crowded houses night after night for weeks in succession in the large and conservative cities of the East. He gives his first lecture here on Monday night at Hamilton Hall.

SHE WAS UNFAITHFUL.

James T. Gardener, Jr. Divorced From His Erring Wife.

James T. Gardiner Jr. was granted a divorce today from May C. Gardiner on the ground of adultery. The plaintiff is the son of the well-known Oakland grocer, James T. Gardiner. There are no property interests involved in the decree.

Stanley Is Better.

The surgeons in charge of Engineer James W. Stanley, who was injured in the collision between the Santa Cruz and Monterey trains last Saturday week, say that he is improving so rapidly that he will be able to leave his bed in about ten days. He will not, however, be strong enough to support his own weight without assistance.

The Wilmerding Site.

The work of raising money for the purpose of securing a site for the proposed Wilmerding school is progressing in a very satisfactorily manner. It has been announced that the Young Men's Institute of this city has agreed to raise $250 which it will donate to the fund.

Was it a "Razor?"

Henry Trimbling, a colored man with a police record, was taken into custody last night by Officer Woods at Seventh and Adeline, and charged with carrying a concealed weapon.

TO RAISE RIOT

Is an offense against law and order, but to raise bread with so pure a manufactured article as

Monarch Baking Powder

is an evidence of good sense.

ALL GROCERS SELL IT.

A SHINING "STAR."

Miss Laura E. Burt Has Made a Deserved Success on the Stage.

A RAPID ADVANCEMENT.

Vivacity and Ability Soon Brought Her to the Front.

WIDE-SPREAD POPULARITY.

She Is Right in Line for the Interests of Her Profession.

Oakland was paid a handsome tribute today by Miss Laura Burt the charming soubrette who captured the coast in her impersonation of Madge Brierly, the mountain girl of "In Old Kentucky," the play that has had so successful a run at the Macdonough theater this week. Miss Burt enjoys Californian winters, and her first exclamation was over the delightful salubrity of the City of Oaks, as compared with that of San Francisco, which she left last Sunday.

"If I had known of Oakland's charms," she said to a Tribune reporter this morning, "my home would have been here during my San Francisco engagement.

Miss Burt is a young woman of delightful personality, and this, combined with her undisputed claims to a leading place in her profession, makes her one of the most attractive actresses who has ever visited this side of the Rocky Mountains. She is bright, cheerful, jolly and naturally full of the life and gaiety that has given to the role she sustains so much that refreshingly savors of the wild and happy life of freedom from care that is natural to the girl of the mountains. Miss Burt's talents are not turned in a wrong direction when she essays the character she is handling now with such general satisfaction to the overflow audiences that have greeted her everywhere she has been with the company.

MISS LAURA E. BURT.

Miss Burt has had only two visits to the Pacific coast. She came here four years ago with the "Blue Jeans" company. She had then attained much success in her profession and she has been adding to it ever since. The little lady is a firm believer in the stage and she does not hesitate to express her views, no matter who may be hurt by them. She will suffer no unwarranted attack to be made upon the profession. One of her characteristic moves in that direction was made a short time ago in Kansas City, when what she considered a gratuitous slur was cast upon the women of the profession by a clergyman of that city, who attacked the stage from his pulpit.

Miss Burt buckled on her armor in defense of her beloved calling and replied in scathing words to the attack. She filled a column or so in one of the Kansas City journals with a reply that drew words of praise from some of the most prominent members of the profession. Among the many commendatory letters Miss Burt received regarding the affair there were two in particular that she prizes most especially. They were from Julia Marlowe and Fanny Davenport, applauding her stand in behalf of the women of the stage.

Miss Burt's bright eyes snapped when she was told today that the pastor of one of Oakland's leading churches had recently scored the theater on grounds of morality. "I wish I had been here," she said. "I should have been glad to have had a tilt with the reverend gentleman. I would be so glad if my efforts would convince one at least that per se the stage is not all its critics denounce it for."

Miss Burt has had during the ten years of her theatrical life a series of most interesting engagements. Perhaps one of her most recent successes was during her tour last year of England and Europe, in the play in which she is now appearing. She created a great impression abroad and returned to the United States with many tokens of appreciation in the way of praise from the critics.

Miss Burt is of Welsh extraction and takes a great interest in the doings of her countrymen in America. She has recently purchased stock in the big Tabernacle at Denver, where the National Welsh Eisteddfod is to be held this year. During her trip West the Welsh Cambrian Society at Salt Lake entertained her and at a reception given in her honor there were fully 500 present.

Miss Burt joined the company at Omaha on December 23d. The lady who had been sustaining the role was required to leave and Miss Burt was summoned to fill the vacancy. She had been appearing with a stock company at Boston prior to that.

"In Old Kentucky," during Miss Burt's connection with the play, has had some remarkable runs. At Boston a ten weeks' engagement was played.

The first week's receipts were $15,000 which will take place with the figures of big theatrical engagements in the United States.

Miss Burt has a strong and fond ambition to become a leading lady of note. Her ability in character roles is so well demonstrated that she has been guided in some measure by her friends and has continued to carry those roles. If ability and a charm of manner that is most agreeable count, Miss Burt will realize her ambition very speedily. There were several offers made to her during her San Francisco engagement, but she did not consider them seriously. The company with which she is now playing has dates into April, when it will probably close at Chicago.

Miss Burt's home is in New York. She said today that her mother and herself could find no more congenial and delightful abode than Oakland, did not her professional demands require that she be at the metropolis and the center of the theatrical business of the country.

The company leaves tomorrow for San Jose Sacramento, and the larger coast cities.

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SAVED EIGHTEEN MEN.

The Schooner Compeer Here After a Noteworthy Voyage.

She Ran Across a Shipwrecked Crew on the Northern Coast.

The schooner Compeer, Captain Sorensen, arrived in the creek last night. She was loaded with lumber from Whatcom, sailed on the 19th and had an eventful voyage, losing one man and picking up eighteen from the British ship Nineveh.

On the morning of the 23d, while the Compeer was coming through the Straits of San Juan de Fuega E. Lotstrum, a Swedish sailor, fell overboard. He was dressed in a rubber coat and boots at the time, which filled with water and he sank before assistance could reach him.

Wind-bound, the Compeer put into Clallom Bay, but the weather clearing she sailed on the morning of the 24th. The Nineveh was in the bay at the same time, but was towed to sea that afternoon. She was loaded with lumber bound for Sydney.

The wind sprang up on the morning of the 24th and by the morning of the 25th had increased to a hurricane. During the storm the Nineveh, which is an old wooden vessel, built in 1865, sprung a leak. During the night of the 26th it was seen that she could not be kept afloat much longer, although both steam and hand pumps were kept working. Her deck load had shifted, the lee bulwarks were washed away and every sea broke over her.

During the night she sent up rockets which were seen by those on the Compeer, but because of the distance and hazy weather, they could not be distinctly read. When morning came it was seen that the distressed vessel was the Nineveh. The Compeer hauled to and took aboard Captain Bradford and his crew of seventeen men. Provisions were short on the schooner and Mate Lapping was sent back aboard the Nineveh to get more. Before leaving her he saturated the cabin with coal oil and set it afire. At 10 o'clock that night she was in sight and still burning. At the time the mate left the sinking vessel there were eleven feet of water in her hold.

Captain Bradford and several of his crew were badly bruised by the shifting timbers. This morning they left the schooner and went to San Francisco to make their report to the British Consul.

GHIRADELLI FIRST.

Arrangements Made for the Trial of the Suspects.

Judge Greene today set the trials of two of the three Italians who are charged with the murder of Varni Felice. The men are to be tried separately and two weeks will be reserved by the court for the trial of each case. That of Michael Ghiradelli will be the first one handled. His case was set for April 7th. Immediately following will be the trial of Joseph Lazzeretto whose case was set for April 21st. That of Antonio Devencenzio was not set because the defendant failed to answer to his name. He did not appear and his case was passed until he is located and brought into court. There is no fear that he has disappeared. His attorney stated that it was probable that he had forgotten the date for his appearance.

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TO TAKE IN THE TOWN.

A First-Class Parade Is to Be Made Washington's Birthday.

Merchants Will Decorate Their Stores and All Will Be Gaiety.

The celebration of Washington's birthday in Oakland will be on a much larger scale than at first intended. The committee in charge has been hard at work making final arrangements and as a result of their labors Oakland will be in true holiday attire. All the merchants on Broadway with the exception of two will decorate their stores elaborately and arrangements have been made for an extensive display of streamers across the streets.

The line of march has been definitely decided upon, and arrangements for the formation of the parade have been made.

The divisions will form on Second and Third streets, then fall in line on Broadway, marching west along Fourth street to Washington, thence up Washington to Fourteenth street, marching east from there to San Pablo avenue. There a turn will be made into San Pablo avenue and out that thoroughfare to Sixteenth street and to Telegraph avenue. Down Telegraph avenue to Seventh street, where the divisions will line up on each side of the street to review the procession of school children.

The parade will be accompanied by five bands and probably a drum corps.

It is expected that the merchants will close their stores until after the street exercises have been completed and already a number have signified their willingness. A committee will visit all merchants in a few days, expecting to prevail upon them to take concerted action in this regard.

Arrangements are progressing to have the parade billed in all the towns of the county, and as well quarter cards will be distributed throughout this city.

The following merchants have agreed to decorate their establishments: Fred Gatter, Pioneer Loan Office, Leitch & Co., Louis Camp, L. Jurgens, Ackerman & Co., American Tea Co., Selby & Co., A. D. Dennis, P. Boas, C. N. Rosenberg, M. Cohn & Co., Jos. Harris, Bowman & Sons, J. Rosenberg, C. G. Hardy, R. W. Edwards, Pierce Hardware Co., Kirkland & Trowbridge, J. Letter, F. Senram, Lathrop & Wainer, L. H. Briggs, C. C. Nordhausen, H. Alexander, Jonas Bros., Reilly & Co., Scharmen & Co., Union National Bank, M. J. Keller & Co., A. J. Dibert, P. Flynn, M. Lissner & Co., A. Steffanoni, G. B. Daniels, A. Coplin, Taft & Pennoyer, Chas. Baab, S. Rubel, N. Y. Tea Co., Osgood Bros., Louisville Restaurant, Examiner Office, Union Savings Bank, Evans & Jordan, Land Title Co., R. D. Hunter, S. F. Chronicle, Oakland Times, Palace Restaurant, Alex. Hirshberg, Whitney Express Co., C. C. Bunce, A. H. Rott, Brown & McKinnon, Philadelphia Restaurant, Heron & Holcomb, J. C. Wilson & Co., F. C. Howe, Furniture Manufacturing Co., Dresco & Co., Clark Wise, Leavitt & Bill, S. Anderson, Sherman & Clay, S. Smith, Weltman & Weltman, Miss Williams, Seth F. Thomas, Flint's Drug Store.

FIFTEEN YEARS OLD.

Anniversary Celebration by the Christian Endeavor Union.

The Oakland City Christian Endeavor Union celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor last evening. The young people of the different societies assembled in the First M. E. Church, where speeches and music were the order.

Fifteen years ago Father Clark of Williston organized the first Christian Endeavor Society. The total membership now numbers over 2,500,000.

The programme was as follows: Praise service, led by J. M. Robinson; devotional exercises, conducted by Dr. R. F. Stratton, past president of the County Union; introductory remarks by E. O. Gilbert, president of the Oakland City Union, paper on "International Fellowship," by Geo. H. White; musical selection; paper, "The Work of the Lookout Committee," by C. F. Baker; address, "Christian Endeavorers and Bible Study," by Professor R. R. Lloyd of the Pacific Theological Seminary; consecration service led by the president.

SET THEM FREE.

How an East Oakland Justice Disposed of Horse Stealers.

Editor Tribune: Sir—They have a wondrous way of administering justice in East Oakland. A few days ago a couple of youths named Thomas Wright and Claude Patey were brought before Justice Lawrence charged with stealing horses from the Hewston place. There was no question as to their guilt, but Justice Lawrence, who was on the bench, set them free because they were young. All that is necessary nowadays therefore is to be young in order to escape punishment from crime. Has the bandage been removed from the eyes of justice so that she can see and dispense according to who is before her? Justice Lawrence, though, is perhaps trying to exercise a unique method of being "a just judge." It strikes an onlooker as partaking of the unfair.

H. C. F.

East Oakland, Feb. 4th, 1896.

HE IS NOT CROWLEY.

The Martinez Suspect Not Identified by Charles White.

Sheriff Veale of Contra Costa county has not Phil Crowley, the Haywards bandit, in custody. That was conclusively proven today when the photograph of the suspect reached Sheriff White's office. The photograph bears no resemblance to Crowley. Deputy Sheriff Charles White examined it today and pronounced it not to be the man who was so near him in the little cabin on San Lorenzo creek.

Sheriff Veale has been notified that so far as Sheriff White is concerned the local officers have no use for the vagrant who was suspected of being the notorious desperado and escaped convict.

TOWN TOPICS.

The meeting of the Catholic Ladies' Aid Society will take place tomorrow afternoon at Y. M. I. Hall, 1058 Broadway.

A Talk on Siam.

Mrs. S. B. Cheek, formerly of Siam, will lecture on the land of the white elephant tomorrow evening at the Y. W. C. A. parlors, 1421 Franklin street. The talk, which will begin at 7:45, will be illustrated with curios and photographs of the strange country. The ways of the Siamese are comparatively unfamiliar to the average person and Mrs. Clark's address should prove very interesting. Her knowledge has been obtained by personal research

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PICKED UP A PURSE.

Edward Bishop on Trial on a Charge of Larceny.

The Case Against Him Is Weak and Acquittal Seems Certain.

Henry Dusterberry was excused today by Judge Greene from further duty as a juror on the present term panel. He convinced the court he was too deaf to hear ordinary conversation. Dusterberry explained that he had not been excused by Judge Frick because that judge may have believed he was "faking" in order to shirk jury duty. It was apparent, however, that Dusterberry could not hear the tones of Deputy District Attorney Melvin, so Judge Greene allowed him to go.

This was an incident in the examination of talesmen to secure a jury for the trial of aged Edward Bishop on a charge of grand larceny. Bishop is accused of having on March 6th of last year picked up a purse containing $61 belonging to Hirsch & Wachsmann. Instead of finding the owners Bishop appropriated the money to himself.

He was held for trial by Judge Wood several months ago on evidence that even the District Attorney's office admits is of a very weak character. The trial will not occupy more than a day and Bishop will probably be acquitted.

TO THE CARNIVAL.

Excursions to Be Run to the Truckee Ice Palace.

Oaklanders are to have an opportunity to visit the ice carnival at Truckee, and many will doubtlessly embrace it. Excursion trains will leave Sixteenth street depot, this city, at 6:36 P. M. on Friday and Saturday evenings of this week. The round trip including sleepers will cost but $7.50.

The Truckee ice carnival has been a great success and has attracted many tourists. To Oaklanders, to whom snow and ice are foreign quantities, the delights of the carnival will be multiplied.

An Inter-Scholastic Debate.

The Oakland High school and Lowell High school of San Francisco will hold an inter-scholastic debate on April 10th. The debaters will represent each side and each will be allowed 15 minutes. Each leader will be allowed five minutes to close his arguments. The question has not as yet been chosen.

A Place to Picnic.

Now picnic grounds have been located by the Southern Pacific on the Santa Cruz line. They are in the mountains near Alma and are charmingly located. The company will spend $25,000 fitting them up and they will undoubtedly prove very popular.

Must Try It Again.

The complaint in the case of Prof. Von Hirsch was dismissed this morning on technical grounds. It did not conform with the language of the statute. A new complaint will be filed.

Library Registration.

New cards are being issued and a new registration made at the Free Library. There are a number of members who are dead or left Oakland and the object of the work is to get an exact list of the now active members. The work is being done without inconvenience to the patrons.

Off to Los Angeles.

Attorney G. W. Baker and W. E. Dargie left this afternoon for Los Angeles.

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DIED.

PLACE—In West Oakland, February 4, 1896, Leonard P. Place, beloved father of Mrs. J. M. Wentworth, Mrs. Fred Seale, Mrs. William H. White of Elmwood, Massachusetts, and Charles L. Place of Stockton, a native of Rochester, New Hampshire, aged 82 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services TOMORROW, Thursday, February 6, 1896, at 2 o'clock P. M., from his late residence, 1622 Fourteenth street. Interment private.

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Macdonough—"In Old Kentucky."
Oakland—"A Trip to the Circus."
Baldwin—Grand opera, "Huguenots."
California—"Hendrick Hudson Jr."
Columbia—"Men and Women."
Morosco's—"Sins of the Night."
Tivoli—"The Gentle Savage."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.
Alcazar—"Arabian Nights," and "Joe's Girls."
New Bush Street—"Uncle Tom's Cabin."
Bay District Track—Races.
Shoot the Chutes—Daily at Haight street, one block east of the Park.

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE IN SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. FEBRUARY 6, 1896.

Northern California: Cloudy in the north portion this afternoon and tonight, fair in the south portion, fair Thursday; cooler tonight at Eureka and warmer at Fresno; southerly winds shifting to westerly and probably to northerly Thursday.

Southern California: Fair tonight and Thursday; light northerly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Fair tonight and Thursday; fresh westerly winds.

W. H. HAMMON,
Forecast Official.

WEDNESDAY.....FEBRUARY 5, 1896

Whitelaw Reid, who is spending the winter in Arizona, reports that his health is much better, and that he has not been so well and vigorous in five years as he is now. Arizona is fast gaining a reputation for its sanitary qualities. Not every invalid who goes there returns with health, but many do.

According to the report of the Bank Commissioners the deposits in the fifty-seven savings banks of California amount to $130,825,550.38. Besides this amount there are $60,399,238.40 on deposit in the commercial banks of the State. These savings bank deposits indicate a fair degree of prosperity. California in the matter of money is not a poor State by a long way.

The ancient town of Monterey will celebrate on July 7th of this year the raising of the American flag on California soil. Practically California became American territory from that date. California therefore under this flag will be fifty years old in July. There ought to be a memorable celebration then. Some of the men who took a hand in making the first constitution are still alive. If Senator Perkins' bill to appropriate $10,000 for a monument to Commodore Sloat, who raised the first flag, should become a law, the foundation for the monument would probably be laid as a part of this celebration.

The personal estate of the late Robert Louis Stevenson in the United Kingdom has just been taxed at the valuation of $57,000. Stevenson worked on to the last. He was unwilling to think that his powers were declining. But his work was evidence that there had been a great decline in his creative power. Disease was making rapid inroads. He had not finished the work he had planned to do. Stevenson, for an author who was so well off, had a great many worries, as his letters indicate. He could not impart his genius to his stepson Osborne, and that circumstance might have been an occasion for additional worry.

There are many on this side of the country who knew Rev. Dr. George F. Magoun, who had been president of Iowa College for twenty years. He died at his home in Grinnell on Thursday morning last. The college of which he was the head was founded and endowed by Congregationalists. The Inter-Ocean has this notice of the deceased:

"He was one of Iowa's most distinguished and useful citizens. In educational and religious circles his reputation was national. For many years, in whatever convention or other large gathering he might be, Dr. Magoun was apt to be a man of note and power. His clear perceptions, strong convictions, stalwart figure and superb voice made it easy for him to come readily to the front. As one of the pioneer preachers and educators in his State, a State which some time had for its motto, "A school house on every hill and no saloons in the valley," the part taken by him will be long and gratefully remembered. Born and educated in Maine, in coming West, whatever the broadening of his views and sympathies, he never went back on the ideas and principles of the true "down East" puritanism.

In the February number of the Century there is an interesting paper by Henry M. Stanley. He was the first white man in Uganda in 1876.

"It is wonderful," he says, "what earnestness and perseverance will do. We have only to think of Uganda, with its 200 churches and cathedrals and its 50,000 native Christians, read the latest official reports from Nyassa land, and glance at the latest map of Africa, to be convinced of the zeal, devotion and industry of the missionaries."

Some of the difficulties to be overcome are set forth in this paragraph:

"Gospels are not translated into African tongues, nor are converts spontaneous products of human nature. I am somewhat familiar with African facts, and to me these things represent immense labor, patience and self-sacrifice; but others expect Africans to fall in love with the missionary's eyes. It is true, though strange, that for the first six years or so very little visible effect is produced by missionary teaching and influence. The mind of a pagan descendant of innumerable centuries of pagans appears to be for some time impenetrable to the Christian doctrine, and no matter how zealously a missionary may strive with him, he continues to present a wooden dullness, until by and by there is a gleam of interest; he catches the idea, as it were; and the interest becomes infectious and spreads from family to family, and converts multiply rapidly. 'Cast thy bread upon the waters, for thou shalt find it after many days.'"

The Freedom of the City for Robbers

The Tribune published last evening the most extraordinary record of burglaries and robberies ever committed in Oakland. Within less than a month there have been six instances of safe cracking, thirty-two burglaries and four robberies reported. It is doubtful if any other city in California could present such a record of crime committed in so short a time. It does not mitigate the evil to say that most of these crimes were committed by rascals who have been driven out of San Francisco, or who have come in from Eastern cities.

The point of chief importance just now is that citizens have no adequate protection. It ought not to have been possible for safe crackers to have worked for hours in Girard's store, one of the most central places in the city, and next door to a bank. The explosions were heard by a number of people and by more than one of the police. Yet no one knew what had occurred until the store was opened in the morning and the occupant was presented with such a scene of wreckage as was never witnessed in this city. Had the rascals only a little more time, they might have proceeded to wreck the Central Bank with as little hindrance from the police as occurred in wrecking Girard's store.

This extraordinary list of crimes clearly establishes the fact that no adequate protection is given to the citizens of Oakland. Every expert safe cracker and robber knows this fact, and he operates with a corresponding boldness. Taxes are paid for protection. Citizens pour their money into the treasury for that purpose. When the municipal government does not afford any adequate protection, the inquiry naturally goes round, "What is the matter? What is it that is out of joint, that safe crackers and burglars can work their own will in the city with nearly as much liberty as if there were no police force at all?"

The request of citizens for an increase of policemen has been denied on the ground of a lack of funds. It is one of the instances where a small economy does not fit the case. There has recently been a heralding of the number of Chinese arrested for playing the tan game. No doubt every one of these were violators of law. But while the microscopic eye of justice was on the tan players there was no vision for the greater rascals. It has come to this: If the city authorities do not make some better provision for protection, citizens will take the matter in hand and will not listen to any such petty excuses as that there are no funds to employ additional policemen.

The criminal record during the last thirty days is the shame and disgrace of the city. Literally, the town has been turned over for a month to the plundering of robbers on the highways, and burglars in dwellings and stores. The rascals have had free commons. They must have laughed over the freedom of the city for their especial benefit. It is time now to call a halt. Suppose the freedom of the city should now, by way of experiment, be denied to safe-crackers and burglars?

Laying on the Local Color.

The people of Utah have now and then complained that the resources of that State have never had sufficient publicity. A short time ago A. W. Gordon of Edinburgh, representing a syndicate of capitalists, visited Utah to see what opportunities there were for making investments. Judge Colborn, as Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, was appointed to collect the desired information. He called attention to some of the richest mines in the State, which has the richest and at the same time the least advertised mining districts in the United States. His statements appear in the Salt Lake Herald:

"Still Utah has mines, the mention of which are sufficient to attract the attention of the entire mining world. The "Ontario," with its $13,175,000; the Horn Silver, with its $5,147,500; and the Daly, with its $2,850,000, are mentioned as notable examples. These are silver mines, but there are others which are paying dividends, among them being the Mercur, which is disbursing at a rate of $250,000 per annum. It is not the hen that clucks, but the fowl which produces the eggs which brings the poultry. And he calls attention to the fact that thirty-eight mines in Colorado have paid less than $500,000 more than ten mines in Utah, and the same ten mines in Utah have paid but about $2,000,000 less than seventeen in Montana, where the famous Granite Mountain is situated. The statement shows the Ontario to have paid more dividends than any other silver mine in the United States, and that its dividends exceed by $1,055,000 the dividends paid by the Granite Mountain mine in Montana."

As the syndicate was not specially interested in agriculture no extended reference is made to that wonderful system of irrigation which is the pioneer of all the irrigation enterprises on this side of the Rocky Mountains, and which has contributed more to the prosperity of that State than any other enterprise that has ever been introduced. Judge Colborn lays the colors very thick on Salt Lake City. There is a justification in the fact that there is no other city of equal size in the Union that shows more substantial improvements than are here set forth.

"There are a hundred miles of streets in Salt Lake 132 feet wide, many of which are paved with Utah asphaltum, and all lined with brooks fed by mountain water and embowered in foliage. The beauty of the situation and environment entitles Salt Lake City to its reputation of being one of the most attractive cities in the world. It has a $1,000,000 city building; its architecture is modern, it is equipped with every advantage found in representative cities; it is well governed and its people are of that sturdy and progressive class which knows no such word as fail in the business of increasing its population and expanding its trade. There will be no interruption in its progress. It is just entering the gateway of increased prosperity, which has come to every State when first attired in the garments of sovereignty."

The Atlantic Monthly is making a tilt against Speaker Reed for President. That is quite natural. The Atlantic represents the Brahminical culture of Boston and a great deal of the atmosphere at Harvard. At that institution free trade is taught by all the armchair theorists. Reed is in quite another atmosphere, and probably does not care a copper as to what the Atlantic thinks about his candidacy and little as to what opinions the Brahmen of Boston have of his fitness for the office.

Courting the American Cousin.

Mr. Balfour, the second man in the British cabinet, talks about an American "alliance." Just now the British are making a great many concessions that don't concede. The Monroe doctrine was at first flouted and metaphorically kicked in the most contemptuous manner. Now Lord Salisbury concedes that it is a sound doctrine, only that it should not apply to the Venezuela question. Then the appointing of American commissioners to look into the question of boundaries was considered an ungracious act. Now it may be right in the line of an early settlement.

Arbitration in some modified form is more than a possibility. There can be no alliance other than one that simply takes in the settled policy of arbitration as an international fact. Neither language or race affinities will at present tolerate any other. But this country is in the front of all other nations for the one purpose of making arbitration the settled policy of civilized nations.

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

A Daily Resume of History for Your Scrap Book.

On February 5th of the years named occurred the following important events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.

Saints Agatha, Abraamius, Avitus, Alice.

BIRTHS.

1674—Bishop Thomas Tanner.
1771—Rev. Dr. John Lingard, historian.
1788—Sir Robert Peel.
1799—Dr. John Lindley, botanist.
1811—Dwight L. Moody.

DEATHS.

B. C. 46—Marcus Cato.
1552—James Meyer.
1718—Adrian Reland.
1721—James, Earl of Stanhope.
1890—Dr. William Cullen.
1799—Luigi Galvani, discoverer of galvanism.
1805—Thomas Banks, sculptor.
1807—Gen. Paoli, Corsican patriot.
1869—Lionel, Marquis of Moustier.
1870—Trueman H. Hoag, Washington, D. C.
1894—Theodore Billroth.
1895—Mrs. Charlotte E. Brown, first president of Federation of Women's Clubs.

OTHER EVENTS.

1757—English win the battle of Plasey.
1778—Gen. John Cadwallader seriously wounded Gen. Conway in a duel.
1783—Sweden recognized independence of United States.
1865—Battle of Hatcher's Run, Va.
1870—Prince Arthur in Boston.
1874—Gen. Sir Garnet Wolseley entered Coomassie.
1875—Amended Silver Rights Bill passed by the House.
1878—The prefect of St. Petersburg shot by Vera Tassulitch.
1885—Gen. Gordon killed.
1886—New York Senate began its inquiry into the Broadway Railroad.
1887—Revival in Talmadge's church, Brooklyn, results in 2000 converts.
1887—Verdi's opera "Othello" produced in Milan.
1887—Suspension of the Coupon War in Virginia.
1888—Hildreth's Printing Building burned in St. Louis; loss, $165,000.
1888—New York Police Courts allow G. A. R. men to parade on Sunday.
1889—Strike of New York street car men declared off. Men lose.
1891—President Harrison proclaimed reciprocity with Brazil.
1891—Pullman car shops at St. Louis burned. Loss, $250,000.
1892—Rare conjunction of Jupiter and Venus after thirty years.
1894—Anarchist Vaillant guillotined in Paris.
1895—Springer's finance bill authorizing the issue of the $500,000,000 gold bonds defeated in the House.
1895—Lawson power of removal bill passed at Albany.
1895—District of Columbia appropriation bill passed.
1895—Pope sends a letter to the effect that he does not approve of priests riding bicycles.
1895—Boardman tobacco warehouse burned in Cincinnati, Ohio; loss, $500,000.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson complains bitterly that her husband's friends—if such she still holds them to be—have hastened to the marketplace with his private letters and published them without her sanction. In one of these letters Stevenson says that he was happy only once in his life, and that, too, on the chance of its misinterpertation, is ashes in Mrs. Stevenson's mouth.

So closely does the cunning of the wolves and coyotes keep pace with the schemes of the stockmen in the West that the prospect of ever getting thoroughly rid of the pests seems as poor as ever, and the stockmen are almost in despair. Poisoned bait the animals have laughed at for years, and no matter how skillfully prepared it rarely causes the death of even a baby wolf now. Traps have proved equally useless. Hunting with dogs was slightly successful last season, but most of the hounds have been killed by the wolves. Shooting is the only sure way of killing the beasts, but it is very hard to get near enough for this. Round-up hunts are also effective, but are hard to organize. The latest scheme to have success, that doubtless will prove brief, is to fish for the animals. A stout fish-hook is baited with some tempting morsel, beyond by suspicion even by a wolf or coyote. To the hook is attached a strong copper wire, which is then hidden in the grass, and to its further end a stout anchor is fastened. The anchor is not too heavy for the wolf to move, but is too heavy to be hauled far. This scheme has proved very successful. The wolf swallows the bait and what follows can be imagined. Next day a cowboy rides over the range and shocts the anchored animals.

Washington State has the record for lumber production last year on the Pacific coast, and probably in the whole country. During the year lumber to the amount of 411,793,952 feet was shipped, 152,294,373 feet going to foreign countries. One mill at Port Blakeley turned out an average of 30,000 feet of lumber for every working day of last year.

George L. Wellington, who has been elected to succeed Senator Gibson of Maryland, is what is commonly termed a self-made man. He attended school only a year and a half in his boyhood, but afterward, while at work, spent his evenings in securing an education, which included a thorough grounding in history and literature.

A German publication bearing the title "Princely Authors of the Nineteenth Century," shows that thirty illustrious personages in Europe have made contributions to the world's literature. The first on the list is the Kaiser, with his "Song to Aegir," and one of the last is, curiously enough, the Shah of Persia. The book contains many royal literary efforts never before printed.

Says the Baltimore News, speaking of the new president of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad: "An analogy has been pointed out between the case of Mr. Cowen and that of Mr. Depew, now for many years president of the New York Central Railroad. Both are eminent lawyers and distinguished public speakers. Neither was a trained railroad man when elected to the railroad presidency. Both have been prominently connected with politics."

There seems to be little doubt that John B. Robinson of South Africa is the richest man in the world. His fortune is estimated at $70,000,000. In 1873 Robinson was in debt. He had kept a grocery store in the Orange Free State, but he could not make both ends meet. He and his wife begged their way for 300 miles to Kimberly. Here Robinson laid the foundation of his enormous fortune by picking up a rough diamond worth $1,200. His ambition now is to be worth a billion.

The Minneapolis people wish to know what else could have been expected of a steamer named St. Paul.

Rudyard Kipling is said to be infatuated with his work as a playwright and dreams of triumphs in a new field.

Eight of the ten universities of Great Britain now admit women to degrees, and it is likely that Cambridge will soon be the ninth. The growth of the women's colleges at this university—Girton and Newnham—is a remarkable example of women's progress in academic education.

Senator Evarts, when asked once by one not initiated if there was a difference between a canvas back and a red head duck, and if he could tell the difference, quickly replied: "I can, very readily; it is simply in the size of the bill."

An investigation of the question of school lunches has been made in Boston recently, and arrangements have been made for the furnishing of cheap lunches in the high schools at a cost of five and ten cents. A delicate point under consideration is how to furnish lunches to those children who are unable to pay for them. In serving lunches at the noon hour it is found that there is a decided tendency to eat too fast. One visitor kept tally on the boys, and found a boy who broke the record by getting away with three sandwiches, a piece of cake and a cup of chocolate in four minutes by the watch.

HUMOROUS.

Papa (on the top of the stairs)—Is that young man gone, Mamie?

Mamie—Yes, papa; awfully!—Judge.

Paternal Visitor—Do you like to go to school, little boy?

Little Boy—Yes, I like goin' to school well enough and comin' home all right. What I don't like is havin' to stay cooped up in there between times.—Somerville Journal.

The leap-year girl should learn to pay the bills like a little man.—Philadelphia Record.

A Leap-Year Opportunity—She—Do you think it would be unmaidenly for a girl to propose to a man?

He—Certainly not, if she is rich enough for two.—New York Sun.

Timid Old Lady (watching the agitated water)—Are there ever any persons lost in this river, boatman?

Ferryman—Bless yer, no mum; we allus finds 'em again the next day.—London Tit-Bits.

"I always meet trouble half way," said the man who had paid half of his promissory note and arranged for an extension of the other half.—Detroit Free Press.

The rising orator of the backwoods of Canada was lately addressing an assembly of fellow-patriots. In the course of his speech his patriotism was bubbling over, his eloquence was a surprise to even himself, for this is what he stated: "The British lion, whether it is roaming the deserts of Africa or climbing the forests of America, will not draw in its horns or retire into its shell.—Detroit News.

She waved her hand imperiously.

"Be very careful," she commanded her maid, "of the perspective. You made me look dreadfully shallow last evening."

After that the making of her toilet proceeded without further interruption.—Detroit Tribune.

"It's a good deal of work to keep this tail of mine from getting twisted," said the British lion.

"You don't go about it in the right way," replied the Russian bear. "You ought to quit lashing it and wag it once in a while."—Washington Star.

"What you want," said the practical man who had gone to China as a missionary, "is civilization."

"How do you propose to give it to us?" inquired a man who had served against the Japanese.

"Well," was the thoughtful reply, "prayer books are the most lasting. But gunboats are a great deal quicker."

The Salaries of Dramatic Artists.

Sarah Bernhardt's salary is $1,500 a week. Yvette Guilbert receives, under her present contract, $7,000 a week, and Calve earns $1,200 for each of her appearances. Olga Nethersole earns $250 a week. What with his salary and percentage of the receipts, John Drew makes in good times $500 a week. A competent leading man or woman, like Henry Miller or Herbert Kelcey, Viola Allen or Isabel Irving, can be had for $200 a week. The only player that has ever received, even in this prodigal country, a salary equal to that of Bernhardt was Mme. Modjeska. Edwin Booth, who knew nothing about the value of money, once engaged the Polish actress at a salary of $1,500 a week.

Mr. Grau's contract with Guilbert lasts only two weeks, after which she returns to the cheap prices of Paris. Calve's contract lasts five months, but during that time she sings only twice or three times a week, after which she returns to the moderate salaries of Europe. Melba receives $1,500 a night in this country, but in Paris she is content with $300 a performance. But Sarah Bernhardt's contract continues through summer and winter and every Saturday night she pockets $1500. Taking one thing with another, the actress is better off than the singers. Averaging the entire income of each performance, we should say that Calve earns $50,000 a year, Guilbert about $35,000, while Bernhardt is sure of $78,000 annually for five years.—From the Gothamite.

Awakened.

"Your highness!" exclaimed the grand vizier, as he rushed into the royal presence and flung himself at his sovereign's feet.

"Arise," was the gracious response. "You needn't prostrate yourself."

"I can't help it. This is a case of nervous prostration. Zobeide—"

"Yes—the queen of the harem—"

"Is on a rampage. She is looking for trouble with a searchlight and a Gatling gun, your majesty. She says that unless she is treated with more consideration she'll make your majesty's brow a candidate for a toupe and turn the palace into a discordant crimson wilderness."

"What is it all about?"

"That last costume you sent her from the milliner's."

"Why, it has been in style these hundreds of years. Everybody knows what a Turkish lady ought to wear. There can't be any trouble."

"Yes. She says the bloomers are all right. But what she wants is the bicycle that goes with them."

Beaten by Figures.

I was waiting at the depot for a southbound train when a negro drayman approached me, hat in hand, and said:

"'Scuse me, boss, but I wanter ax yo' a few queshuns."

"All right—go ahead."

"A few weeks ago I sold Mr. Peters a mewl for $15. Please put dat down."

"Yes."

"One time he pays me $3, an' agin he pays me $2. How much did dat leave to pay?"

"Ten dollars."

"Den he borrows $2 of me and lets it go on de mewl."

"That increased the debt to $12."

"Den he pays me $5 and borrows $7."

"That left him owing you $14."

"Den he pays me $4 and borrows $6, an' dat was de last transacshun' atll dis mawnin'."

"If you are right about the payments he still owes you $16."

"Shoo, but yo' doan' say! Why, dat man come 'long 'bout two hours ago and says to me: 'Joe, I doan' want to bodder you 'bout money, but Ize mighty hard up, an' if yo' kin gib me de $11 yo' is owin' me on dat mewl trade I shall esteem it a great favor.' Dat's what he said, sah, an' I handed out de money."

"Well, it seems to be rather mixed up."

"She do, sah. I reckoned Mr. Peters owed me $9 or $10, an' he dun reckoned I owed him $11. Hu! Shoo! Dat's de way of it. I never did 'sociate wid a white man in bizness dat I didn't get de wust of it, an' now yo' ha'r me when I say dat it's de last time—de last prevailin' occashun dat I make a trade wid any 'rithmetic in it."—Detroit Free Press.

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SPORTING NEWS

Outdoor Events Booming as a Result of Fine Weather.

CHANGES AT THE CLUBS.

Bicyclists Busily Preparing for the Road Races.

BASEBALL TAKES A SPURT.

The University Nine Will Try to Trip Up the Stanfords.

The close season for ducks and quails will commence on Feb. 15th.

The Encinal Yacht Club has dedicated its news quarters in Alameda.

A rowing regatta on Lake Merritt is a proposed feature of the Washington's birthday celebration.

The Crescent Athletic Club will hold a "ladies' night" at Berkeley tomorrow evening.

The next race of the Oakland Navy will be sailed on February 16th at 2 P. M.

The Intercycle baseball league has arranged a schedule of games for the season to commence March 1st.

The Acme Club will hold a gentlemen's night on Feb. 11th.

Baseball practice is interesting the Y. M. C. A. men.

The Reliance Club has made $1,200 by the "7-20-8" performances.

Al. Lean, boxing instructor of the Acme Club, has resigned. He will devote his attention hereafter to the Reliance Club.

Baseball is the thing among the High school boys. A game between the low and the high seniors will be played next Saturday at the Madison street grounds.

THE UMPIRE.

The amateur baseball season gives promise of a most auspicious opening this year. The activity displayed over the organization of nines, both in San Francisco and on the eastern shore of the bay, is a fair indication that the game will not languish in this section of the State during 1896. The most important move that has been made in this direction is the formation of the Wheelmen's League. It has reached a perfect state now and is in a shape that augurs well for a very interesting series of games between the prominent clubs of San Francisco, Oakland and Alameda. There are eight represented in the league and each has taken pains to organize a nine that will play ball for all that there is in the game. The season with the league will open on March 1st and the schedule that has been arranged will give every club in the league ample opportunity to give an exhibition of its prowess with its fellow-members. There is no question that the league will not only develop a greater interest in the game, but will give an incentive to the members of the various clubs to make the wheel runs during the season much more interesting. The purpose of the league is incidentally two-fold. The games are to be played in connection with the club runs, and this of itself will stimulate members to join the runs and enjoy the sport on the diamond as well. Thus the original intent will be doubly realized. The one will not detract from the other. The members are sure to turn out in much greater force and the competition over the games will naturally lead in other directions to a more diversified programme.

The organization of amateur nines grows apace and there can be no doubt that with proper fostering, baseball can be brought to the front again in all its pristine glory. The game is far from dead. The very leaders in active outdoor sports—and reference is here made to the big University organizations—have undertaken the game this season with renewed vigor. They are bent upon displaying talent and skill on the diamond as well as on the gridironed field. They have, it will be observed, at both of the big institutions, Berkeley and Stanford, developed a fever for the game that gives promise of fairly rivaling football itself.

The nines at each institution are being organized of the very best material in the universities. The interest that is being manifested in this direction is best illustrated by the following from a local paper, which is watching the course of events at Berkeley with an eagle eye. "Baseball," says the writer, "is all the rage at the University at present. Such interest has not been manifested in the national game by the University students for years. Football has been crowded to the wall. Stanford has been supreme in baseball so long that the University boys are tiring of the monotony. They intend to break the spell this season if possible, and give the men of the cardinal hue something to do when they meet on the diamond."

There will also be a series of interfraternity games and the rivalry between the "frat" organizations is so keen that there is no question that some very exciting contests will take place. The national game has undoubtedly taken a strong hold among the college men and this is significant, for there are no more loyal supporters of any legitimate, clean and fair sport than there same University boys. It is a satisfactory showing as far as it goes for baseball there.

The same condition of affairs can be noted outside of the two departments mentioned. There appears in all amateur circles at least to be a general revival. The game has been buried in the oblivion of an unhallowed past so long that attempts to resuscitate it have been few and in a great measure little more than perfunctory. The great necessity for keeping any sport on a clean basis to make it popular is of as much importance to the baseball enthusiast as to the yachtsman, the rower, the runner or any one else. The demand today is for fair sport, and it should always be borne in mind that the line of demarcation that separates the professional world from the amateur should be so broad that the verdest tyro may view it and see the difference between the two. They can mix no better than oil and water. When it is attempted disaster has spread her wings and is ready to cast a lurid shadow over the whole proposition. This has been the experience of not a few who are now wiser for it. The Umpire cordially commends every effort, no matter how humble, to foster real, genuine sport. Professional pastimes, per se, are not objectionable. The methods too often employed by unscrupulous managers have more than once contributed to his downfall. Just so soon as patrons of any sport learn they have been tricked, there is a howl of disgust.

It is therefore a thousand fold better to start aright. The reward has reached many already who have established sports, and especially baseball, on a more substantial basis. I doubt not now that the game, under proper management, could be made a splendid proposition for both the managers and the public. There is no question that the game is not dead. While a bad taste is left after last year's experience in San Francisco and Los Angeles, the fact remains that drastic methods will furnish the remedy. The game, under proper auspices, will flourish. The argument is that the unusual activity displayed by the amateurs will certainly lead to the strongest sort of ideas upon the baseball craze which seems to be developing slowly.

The live topic of the day is the barring out of the Olympic nine by the Pacific Amateur Athletic Association. The club has been ruled off on the grounds of professionalism.

Interest in the Venezuelan question is heightened to some extent by the article here appended:

Baseball has its admirers even in far-away Caracas, and although but recently established in the Venezuelan capital, it is nevertheless well attended by the best society people of that metropolitan city. The grounds are kept in good condition and the players are enthusiastic. Light luncheon is served to patrons of the game.

Our South American friends could be imitated here without throwing any discredit on the game.

Indoor baseball continues to be the rage during the winter months in the East. THE UMPIRE.

AL. LEAN RESIGNS.

He Will no Longer Instruct the Acme Men.

A gloom hovers over the Acme gymnasium for the genial gymnastic instructor, Al. Lean, will no longer train the boys of the winged acorn. Al tendered his resignation last night. He will devote his entire time in the future to the Reliance Club and his private classes.

Lean has been instructor at the club for three years and in that time made friends with every member of the club. Some of the stoutest muscle in the club is the result of his instruction and the best athletes owe their long list of medals to him. So it is that the boys feel sorry to see him go. The resignation is the result of several causes, chiefly financial on the Acme side. Van Court is now left alone as boxing instructor. The athletes who are already proficient will impart their knowledge to the uninitiated.

The bicycle men are working hard to get in trim for the twenty-five mile road race, to be held over the San Leandro triangle on Washington's birthday. The Acme boys won the silver trophy last year, and will try to duplicate the performance this season, as the club winning the trophy three times has final possession of it. Much of the training is in the form of baseball. The Acme wheelmen, under Captain Swain, will be well represented in the newly organized league. Among the most prominent players are Galindo, Smith, Agnew, Ruppert and Swain.

The regular baseball team is rather discouraged at the treatment of the Olympic nine. Though their enthusiasm is not lessened it is dampened. The boys will not do much for a couple of weeks. Captain Donovan received news yesterday that makes the athletic park an assured thing. Without a doubt the track will be constructed and at last there will be an athletic park on this side of the bay.

A BIG SUCCESS.

Financial Results of the "7-20-8" Show.

The Reliance Club is jubilant over the financial as well as the social success of "7-20-8." Between $1,200 and $1,500 clear was realized from the show. This places the club squarely on its feet and repays it for aiding charity as it has in so many ways.

On Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings Instructor Lean is on hand to train the athletes. The wheelmen are taking advantage of the opportunity and working regularly to get in form for the twenty-five mile road race. Captain Griffiths will put a strong team in the field equal to if not better than last year's. Great things are expected of the Reliance team this year.

The juvenile class is booming. Tuesday afternoons and Saturday mornings the youngsters turn out to enjoy the gym under proper instruction. Some good athletes will be the result of this early training.

The date of the ladies' night is not yet set, but it will be held in February. The boys are practicing for the event and will give a fine exhibition.

REGATTA ON THE LAKE.

A Big Project for Washington's Birthday.

The Washington's birthday celebration committee has in view a great boating regatta on Lake Merritt. Soundings have been made over a course that has been laid out by S. J. Ponbroke who has the arrangements for the regatta in charge and everything has been found satisfactory in that regard. The races will take place in the afternoon. So far as arranged there will be a four-oared barge contest between crews from the South End, Ariel, Pioneer, Dolphin and possibly Alameda rowing clubs. Several single scull races will bring out a good number of competitors while efforts are being made for a race between the University and the Columbia clubs' four-oared barge crews.

The course will be a mile with a turn.

CYCLING TOPICS.

Newsy Items From the Wheelmen's Corner.

The changeable gear for bicycles is coming more and more into vogue and will be used to a large extent the ensuing season. When the rider understands and appreciates that he can have a high and low gear on his wheel with able opportunity to use either at will it is pretty certain that he will avail himself of the opportunity and not overtax himself climbing steep hills with a high gear.

Rust will come in the best regulated cycle establishment. The following is a good way of removing it. First grease it well, let it stand for a day or two, then rub it briskly with a cloth moistened with ammonia. If this does not quite remove it, wash carefully with a weak solution of hydrochloric acid, drying thoroughly with a cloth, and polish with a soft leather, being very careful to remove all traces of the acid from the metal.

Some time ago the League of American Wheelmen set its ban on races for women and the racing board has not swerved from that path. The recent performance at Madison Square Garden in New York was discountenanced by the press and public and illustrated that competition among female bicycle riders is not an edifying spectacle and does not elevate the sport. Some move will undoubtedly be made at the National Assembly for the future suppression of such performances.

Electricity will prove an important factor in the construction of the bicycle in a few years. The current that has revolutionized light will be employed in turning wheels some day and it is even now being put to a practical use in the bicycle lamp. Inventors have been busy evolving the electric bicycle lamp and they have been successful. Now the rider will do away with his oil lamp for the electric lamp has supplanted it. It is such a simple contrivance that its benefits can readily be measured.

Of the records Johnson made in '94 but one remains. During the season when Johnson started his record smashing at Chillicothe, O., for E. C. Sterns & Co., he reduced every mark up to five miles and was the undisputed champion of the year. But new ideas in the construction of the bicycle, improved tracks and more thorough pacemakers have effected a remarkable change in the record table of the present date. When Johnson rode an unpaced quarter mile from a standing start in 28 seconds it approximated any feat on the wheel for the year and has stood to this day without a parallel. Dozens of riders have attempted to lower it since '94 and none have succeeded. The record does not sound very big but it was a great effort at the time and will live as a triumph until some stronger and speedier rider lowers it.

ARRANGED THEIR SCHEDULE.

The Wheelmen's Baseball Nine Ready to Play.

The Inter Cycle Baseball League which includes nines from the leading cycling clubs on both sides of the bay, has arranged a schedule of games for the season.

There are eight clubs in the league and each club will play seven games during the season. The games are to begin March 1st, the second date is March 15th, after which there is an interval until April 12th, owing to the annual relay taking place on April 5th, after which there will be a game every two weeks. The place of each game is left to the selection of the captains of the various clubs who are to arrange the same in connection with joint runs.

The following is the schedule as arranged:

March 1st—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Alameda Cyclers; California Cycling Club vs. Diamond Cycling Club; Garden City Cyclers vs. Olympic Cyclers; Imperial Cycling Club vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen.

March 15th—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Olympic Cyclers; California Cycling Club vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen; Garden City Cyclers vs. Alameda Cyclers; Imperial Cycling Club vs. Diamond Cycling Club.

April 12th—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Diamond Cycling Club; California Cycling Club vs. Alameda Cyclers; Garden City Cyclers vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen; Imperial Cycling Club vs. Olympic Cyclers.

April 26th—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen; California Cycling Club vs. Olympic Cyclers; Garden City Cyclers vs. Diamond Cycling Club; Imperial Cycling Club vs. Alameda Cyclers.

May 10th—California Cycling Club vs. Acme Club Wheelmen; Garden City Cyclers vs. Imperial Cycling Club; Olympic Club Wheelmen vs. Alameda Cyclers; Diamond Cycling Club vs. Olympic Cyclers.

May 24th—Imperial Cycling Club vs. Acme Club Wheelmen; Garden City Cyclers vs. California Cycling Club; Olympic Cyclers vs. Alameda Cyclers; Olympic Club Wheelmen vs. Diamond Cycling Club.

June 7th—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Garden City Cyclers; Imperial Cycling Club vs. California Cycling Club; Alameda Cyclers vs. Diamond Cycling Club; Olympic Cyclers vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen.

Every player must be an amateur. That is he must be a wheelman in Class A. No member of any nine will be eligible unless he shall have belonged to one of the clubs represented before January 25th. The league promises to be one of the biggest successes of the year in amateur sports.

DUCK SHOOTING ENDING.

The Sportsmen's Season Drawing to a Close.

The open season for ducks and quails will close Saturday, February 15th. The marshes have become covered with fresh water by the recent overflows from the rivers and sport is on the wane. The season along the Alameda marshes from San Lorenzo south is about ended. Few hunters are making any big bags. The largest last Sunday was five. The same reports are made from Sonoma and the upper end of the bay.

ENCINAL YACHT CLUB.

Successful Opening of Their New Quarters.

The members of the Encinal Yacht Club of Alameda celebrated the opening of their new quarters last Friday evening with a reception and dance. The event was entirely informal. A large number of the members and their friends enjoyed the evening.

HOMING PIGEONS RACE.

First-Class Time Made by an Alameda Bird.

One of the most interesting events in the sporting line was the 100 mile carrier pigeon race on Sunday last from Marysville to San Francisco and Alameda. Five pigeons started from Marysville and the best time was 3 hours and 17 minutes. T. W. Leydecker's pigeon of Alameda was the winner and its owner secures the gold medal and cash prize offered by the Alameda Poultry and Pigeon Association.

CHANGED THE COURSE.

The Relay Finish Is Now Located in Alameda.

The Associated Cycling Clubs, under whose auspices the annual 100 mile relay race is run over the San Francisco, San Jose and Oakland course, has made some changes in the route that will direct the riders on the finish to Alameda instead of East Oakland as heretofore. The relay course has been changed so that the finish will be at Morton street on the Encinal. The racers will turn at High street and go thence to Central avenue. The change has been made in order that the hill climbing near the East Oakland finish may be avoided.

REGATTA FOR ROWERS.

University Men Are Preparing for Spring.

The University Boating Association is making arrangements for a regatta to be held in April. Captain W. E. Cole says the programme includes a number of single and double races, besides class contests. A silver cup for the winner of the latter is proposed.

The fire which destroyed the association boat house on Sessions basin and likewise burned all the boats, did not discourage the members in the least. They set to work to rebuild and have now a new house well fitted, but not quite so commodious as the old one. Two single sculls of latest improved pattern have been purchased and another four oared scull will be procured.

HIGH SCHOOL PRACTICE.

Baseball Is Now the Topic of Interest.

The High School boys under Captain Lynch held their first baseball practice yesterday. Baseball will be an important factor in athletics this term. In it, as in football, the Oakland High School lads have seldom if ever tasted defeat. Ed Lynch is a worker. He has some good material to handle and should turn out an invincible team.

On Saturday the low and high Seniors will play a match game at Twelfth and Madison streets. Class competition runs high and a close game is expected. The Y. M. C. A. has kindly offered its benches now in Mills Tabernacle for the accommodation of visitors. Consequently the boys are looking forward to having their contest witnessed by some of the fair sex.

Joe Rosborough is captain of the High and Ed Lynch of the Low Seniors. Among Rosborough's men are Dorety, Shuey, McClymonds, Harry Chickering, Cloud, Brook, Numma. The low seniors will be represented by the following: Ed Lynch, Olney, Lloyd, Creed, Hoffman, Green, Shorkley and others.

The Santa Cruz football team has published that it could not get a game with the Oakland High School and that in consequence the latter team had no right to the Academic championship. They sent a challenge to the Oakland school in January. As the Oakland team disbanded last term and many of its players left school it was not thought advisible to meet the Santa Cruz eleven until next season. A letter explaining the situation and asking for an athletic contest, has been sent to the sea side city. As the Santa Cruz lads have always played fair it is thought that they will accept the situation and also the challenge.

THE WIND FAILED.

A Postponement of the Oakland Navy Race.

The second race of the Oakland Navy, that took place on the estuary last Sunday was not sailed. The boats got away under a fresh breeze at 1:30 P. M. but had covered only a third of the course when the wind failed and none of the boats could make the distance within the required two hours. The following boats were entered for the race: Mirth, white class cruiser; Amelia, class racer; Hurricane, red class cruiser; Bert, red class cruiser; Nautilus, red class cruiser; Annie, red class cruiser; Codia, red class racer; Sophia, red class racer; Brownie, red class racer.

The race was declared off and was postponed until February 16th at 2 P. M.

BASEBALL PRACTICE.

Y. M. C. A. Players Are Getting Into Form.

A number of baseball players turned out last Saturday to the first practice of the Y. M. C. A. Ed Lynch in behalf of the association obtained permission from the Merritt estate to use the lot on Twelfth and Madison streets. There is but one stipulation. No one must be allowed to play there on Sundays.

The proposition of leasing the lot and building a track is discussed. Such a track is needed and all hope that the directors may see their way clear to construct it.

CRESCENT ATHLETES.

They Are About to Entertain Their Lady Friends.

The Crescent Athletic Club of Berkeley will give a "ladies' night" tomorrow evening at the club rooms in Odd Fellows' Hall, Berkeley. The programme will include an athletic exhibition. Musical features both vocal and instrumental will be interspersed. Refreshments will be served and dancing will be in order.

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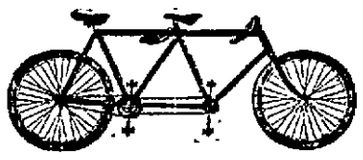

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When the Library Trustees met last night they were confronted by a letter from Mayor Davie in which he called their attention to the fact that all supplies, fuel, etc., needed by the board must be purchased from merchants who have contracts with the city for such articles. He claims that the board has not been doing this and is in consequence paying in many instances higher prices for the things needed. The letter was filed.

The librarian reported as follows:

Number of borrowers on January 1, 1896, 10,850; number of applicants registered, 113, number of borrowers withdrawn, 11; number of borrowers February 1, 10,979; volumes added by purchase, 21

Mrs. I. H. Codington, curator of the North Oakland reading room reported the average attendance for January to be 132

D. Strong of the Central reading room reported the attendance at 780.

At the West Oakland reading room the average attendance was 315.

Over in East Oakland the average was 156.

At Twenty-third avenue it was 157.

A number of new books were ordered.

The following bills were reported on favorably by the auditing committee and ordered paid:

Alameda Encinal, $7.50; B. K. Allen, $14; S Anderson, $11.35, C. Boman, $15; J. C. Bullock, $18 C. C. Water Co., $1.25; Carruth & Carruth, $7.50, $35.50 W. J. Cassidy, $9.35; E. A. De Lameter, $4.95; Craib & Co., $35.50; Dodd, Mead & Co., $14.65; Emery & Prosser, $11; Johnson Emigh, $5.74, J. H. McDonald, $50, Maxwell & Sons, $10; Oakland Electrical Works, $1.75; Oakland G. L. & Heat Co., $114.80; Oakland Postoffice, $2; Oakland Printing Co., $18; Safety Filter Co., $1.50; S. F. Bulletin, $2.30, Tribune Pub. Co., $28.50; Twenty-third avenue and East Fourteenth street Improvement Company, $16, W. E. T. Wehr, $3.90; Pacific Press Pub. Co., $30.80; Orion I. O. O. F. Hall Association, $18.

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THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE IN SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. FEBRUARY 6, 1896.

Northern California: Cloudy in the north portion this afternoon and tonight, fair in the south portion, fair Thursday; cooler tonight at Eureka and warmer at Fresno; southerly winds shifting to westerly and probably to northerly Thursday.

Southern California: Fair tonight and Thursday, light northerly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Fair tonight and Thursday, fresh westerly winds.

W. H. HAMMON,
Forecast Official.

WEDNESDAY.....FEBRUARY 5, 1896

Whitelaw Reid, who is spending the winter in Arizona, reports that his health is much better, and that he has not been so well and vigorous in five years as he is now. Arizona is fast gaining a reputation for its sanitary qualities. Not every invalid who goes there returns with health, but many do.

According to the report of the Bank Commissioners the deposits in the fifty-seven savings banks of California amount to $130,825,550.38. Besides this amount there are $60,399,238.40 on deposit in the commercial banks of the State. These savings bank deposits indicate a fair degree of prosperity. California in the matter of money is not a poor State by a long way.

The ancient town of Monterey will celebrate on July 7th of this year the raising of the American flag on California soil. Practically California became American territory from that date. California therefore under this flag will be fifty years old in July. There ought to be a memorable celebration then. Some of the men who took a hand in making the first constitution are still alive. If Senator Perkins' bill to appropriate $10,000 for a monument to Commodore Sloat, who raised the first flag, should become a law, the foundation for the monument would probably be laid as a part of this celebration.

The personal estate of the late Robert Louis Stevenson in the United Kingdom has just been taxed at the valuation of $57,000. Stevenson worked on to the last. He was unwilling to think that his powers were declining. But his work was evidence that there had been a great decline in his creative power. Disease was making rapid inroads. He had not finished the work he had planned to do. Stevenson, for an author who was so well off, had a great many worries, as his letters indicate. He could not impart his genius to his stepson Osborne, and that circumstance might have been an occasion for additional worry.

There are many on this side of the country who knew Rev. Dr. George F. Magoun, who had been president of Iowa College for twenty years. He died at his home in Grinnell on Thursday morning last. The college of which he was the head was founded and endowed by Congregationalists. The Inter-Ocean has this notice of the deceased:

"He was one of Iowa's most distinguished and useful citizens. In educational and religious circles his reputation was national. For many years, in whatever convention or other large gathering he might be, Dr. Magoun was apt to be a man of note and power. His clear perceptions, strong convictions, stalwart figure and superb voice made it easy for him to come readily to the front. As one of the pioneer preachers and educators in his State, a State which some time had for its motto, "A school house on every hill and no saloons in the valley," the part taken by him will be long and gratefully remembered. Born and educated in Maine, in coming West, whatever the broadening of his views and sympathies, he never went back on the ideas and principles of the true "down East" puritanism.

In the February number of the Century there is an interesting paper by Henry M. Stanley. He was the first white man in Uganda in 1876.

"It is wonderful," he says, "what earnestness and perseverance will do. We have only to think of Uganda, with its 200 churches and cathedrals and its 50,000 native Christians, read the latest official reports from Nyassa land, and glance at the latest map of Africa, to be convinced of the zeal, devotion and industry of the missionaries."

Some of the difficulties to be overcome are set forth in this paragraph:

"Gospels are not translated into African tongues, nor are converts spontaneous products of human nature. I am somewhat familiar with African facts, and to me these things represent immense labor, patience and self-sacrifice; but others expect Africans to fall in love with the missionary's eyes. It is true, though strange, that for the first six years or so very little visible effect is produced by missionary teaching and influence. The mind of a pagan descendant of innumerable centuries of pagans appears to be for some time impenetrable to the Christian doctrine, and no matter how zealously a missionary may strive with him, he continues to present a wooden dullness, until by and by there is a gleam of interest; he catches the idea, as it were; and the interest becomes infectious and spreads from family to family, and converts multiply rapidly. 'Cast thy bread upon the waters, for thou shalt find it after many days.'

The Freedom of the City for Robbers

The Tribune published last evening the most extraordinary record of burglaries and robberies ever committed in Oakland. Within less than a month there have been six instances of safe cracking, thirty-two burglaries and four robberies reported. It is doubtful if any other city in California could present such a record of crime committed in so short a time. It does not mitigate the evil to say that most of these crimes were committed by rascals who have been driven out of San Francisco, or who have come in from Eastern cities.

The point of chief importance just now is that citizens have no adequate protection. It ought not to have been possible for safe crackers to have worked for hours in Girard's store, one of the most central places in the city, and next door to a bank. The explosions were heard by a number of people and by more than one of the police. Yet no one knew what had occurred until the store was opened in the morning and the occupant was presented with such a scene of wreckage as was never witnessed in this city. Had the rascals only a little more time, they might have proceeded to wreck the Central Bank with as little hindrance from the police as occurred in wrecking Girard's store.

This extraordinary list of crimes clearly establishes the fact that no adequate protection is given to the citizens of Oakland. Every expert safe cracker and robber knows this fact, and he operates with a corresponding boldness. Taxes are paid for protection. Citizens pour their money into the treasury for that purpose. When the municipal government does not afford any adequate protection, the inquiry naturally goes round, "What is the matter? What is it that is out of joint, that safe crackers and burglars can work their own will in the city with nearly as much liberty as if there were no police force at all?"

The request of citizens for an increase of policemen has been denied on the ground of a lack of funds. It is one of the instances where a small economy does not fit the case. There has recently been a heralding of the number of Chinese arrested for playing the tan game. No doubt every one of these were violators of law. But while the microscopic eye of justice was on the tan players there was no vision for the greater rascals. It has come to this: If the city authorities do not make some better provision for protection, citizens will take the matter in hand and will not listen to any such petty excuses as that there are no funds to employ additional policemen.

The criminal record during the last thirty days is the shame and disgrace of the city. Literally the town has been turned over for a month to the plundering of robbers on the highways, and burglars in dwellings and stores. The rascals have had free commons. They must have laughed over the freedom of the city for their especial benefit. It is time now to call a halt. Suppose the freedom of the city should now, by way of experiment, be denied to safe-crackers and burglars?

Laying on the Local Color.

The people of Utah have now and then complained that the resources of that State have never had sufficient publicity. A short time ago A. W. Gordon of Edinburgh, representing a syndicate of capitalists, visited Utah to see what opportunities there were for making investments. Judge Colborn, as Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, was appointed to collect the desired information. He called attention to some of the richest mines in the State, which has the richest and at the same time the least advertised mining districts in the United States. His statements appear in the Salt Lake Herald.

"Still Utah has mines, the mention of which are sufficient to attract the attention of the entire mining world. The "Ontario," with its $13,176,000; the Horn Silver, with its $5,117,500, and the Daly, with its $2,850,000 are mentioned as notable examples. These are silver mines, but there are others which are paying dividends among them being the Mercur, which is disbursing at a rate of $250,000 per annum. It is not the hen that clucks, but the fowl which produces the eggs which brings the poultry. And he calls attention to the fact that thirty-eight mines in Colorado have paid less than $500,000 more than ten mines in Utah, and the same ten mines in Utah have paid but about $2,000,000 less than seventeen in Montana, where the famous Granite Mountain is situated. The statement shows the Ontario to have paid more dividends than any other silver mine in the United States, and that its dividends exceed by $1,055,000 the dividends paid by the Granite Mountain mine in Montana."

As the syndicate was not specially interested in agriculture no extended reference is made to that wonderful system of irrigation which is the pioneer of all the irrigation enterprises on this side of the Rocky Mountains, and which has contributed more to the prosperity of that State than any other enterprise that has ever been introduced. Judge Colborn lays the colors very thick on Salt Lake City. There is a justification in the fact that there is no other city of equal size in the Union that shows more substantial improvements than are here set forth.

"There are a hundred miles of streets in Salt Lake 132 feet wide, many of which are paved with Utah asphaltum, and all lined with brooks fed by mountain water and embowered in foliage. The beauty of the situation and environment entitles Salt Lake City to its reputation of being one of the most attractive cities in the world. It has a $1,000,000 city building; its architecture is modern, it is equipped with every advantage found in representative cities; it is well governed and its people are of that sturdy and progressive class which knows no such word as fail in the business of increasing its population and expanding its trade. There will be no interruption in its progress. It is just entering the gateway of increased prosperity, which has come to every State when first attired in the garments of sovereignty."

The Atlantic Monthly is making a tilt against Speaker Reed for President. That is quite natural. The Atlantic represents the Brahminical culture of Boston and a great deal of the atmosphere at Harvard. At that institution free trade is taught by all the armchair theorists. Reed is in quite another atmosphere, and probably does not care a copper as to what the Atlantic thinks about his candidacy and little as to what opinions the Brahmen of Boston have of his fitness for the office.

Courting the American Cousin.

Mr. Balfour, the second man in the British cabinet, talks about an American "alliance." Just now the British are making a great many concessions that don't concede. The Monroe doctrine was at first flouted and metaphorically kicked in the most contemptuous manner. Now Lord Salisbury concedes that it is a sound doctrine, only that it should not apply to the Venezuela question. Then the appointing of American commissioners to look into the question of boundaries was considered an ungracious act. Now it may be right in the line of an early settlement.

Arbitration in some modified form is more than a possibility. There can be no alliance other than one that simply takes in the settled policy of arbitration as an international fact. Neither language or race affinities will at present tolerate any other. But this country is in the front of all other nations for the one purpose of making arbitration the settled policy of civilized nations.

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

A Daily Resume of History for Your Scrap Book.

On February 5th of the years named occurred the following important events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.

Saints Agatha, Abraamius, Avitus, Alice.

BIRTHS.

1674—Bishop Thomas Tanner.
1771—Rev. Dr John Lingard, historian.
1788—Sir Robert Peel.
1799—Dr. John Lindley, botanist.
1811—Dwight L. Moody.

DEATHS.

B. C. 46—Marcus Cato.
1572—James Meyer.
1718—Adrian Reland.
1721—James, Earl of Stanhope.
1790—Dr William Cullen.
1799—Luigi Galvani, discoverer of galvanism.
1805—Thomas Banks, sculptor.
1807—Gen. Paoli, Corsican patriot.
1869—Lionel, Marquis of Moustier.
1870—Trueman H. Hoag, Washington, D. C.
1894—Theodore Billroth.
1895—Mrs. Charlotte E. Brown, first president of Federation of Women's Clubs.

OTHER EVENTS.

1757—English win the battle of Plasey.
1778—Gen. John Cadwallader seriously wounded Gen Conway in a duel.
1783—Sweden recognized independence of United States.
1865—Battle of Hatcher's Run, Va.
1870—Prince Arthur in Boston.
1871—Gen. Sir Garnet Wolseley entered Coomassie.
1876—Amended Silver Rights Bill passed by the House.
1878—The prefect of St. Petersburg shot by Vera Tassulitch.
1885—Gen. Gordon killed.
1886—New York Senate began its inquiry into the Broadway Rail-Railroad.
1887—Revival in Talmadge's church, Brooklyn, results in 2000 converts.
1887—Verdi's opera "Othello" produced in Milan
1887—Suspension of the Coupon War in Virginia.
1888—Hildreth's Printing Building burned in St. Louis, loss, $165,000.
1888—New York Police Courts allow G. A. R. men to parade on Sunday.
1889—Strike of New York street car men declared off. Men lose.
1891—President Harrison proclaimed reciprocity with Brazil.
1891—Pullman car shops at St. Louis burned. Loss, $250,000.
1892—Rare conjunction of Jupiter and Venus after thirty years.
1894—Anarchist Vaillant guillotined in Paris
1895—Springer's finance bill authorizing the issue of the $500,000,000 gold bonds defeated in the House.
1895—Lawson power of removal bill passed at Albany.
1895—District of Columbia appropriation bill passed.
1895—Pope sends a letter to the effect that he does not approve of priests riding bicycles.
1895—Boardman tobacco warehouse burned in Cincinnati, Ohio; loss, $500,000.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson complains bitterly that her husband's friends—if such she still holds them to be—have hastened to the marketplace with his private letters and published them without her sanction. In one of these letters Stevenson says that he was happy only once in his life, and that, too, on the chance of its misinterpretation, is ashes in Mrs. Stevenson's mouth.

So closely does the cunning of the wolves and coyotes keep pace with the schemes of the stockmen in the West that the prospect of ever getting thoroughly rid of the pests seems as poor as ever, and the stockmen are almost in despair. Poisoned bait the animals have laughed at for years, and no matter how skillfully prepared it rarely causes the death of even a baby wolf now. Traps have proved equally useless. Hunting with dogs was slightly successful last season, but most of the hounds have been killed by the wolves. Shooting is the only sure way of killing the beasts, but it is very hard to get near enough for this. Round-up hunts are also effective, but are hard to organize. The latest scheme to have success, that doubtless will prove brief, is to fish for the animals. A stout fish-hook is baited with some tempting morsel, beyond by suspicion even by a wolf or coyote. To the hook is attached a strong copper wire, which is then hidden in the grass, and to its further end a stout anchor is fastened. The anchor is not too heavy for the wolf to move, but is too heavy to be hauled far. This scheme has proved very successful. The wolf swallows the bait and what follows can be imagined. Next day a cowboy rides over the range and shoots the anchored animals.

Washington State has the record for lumber production last year on the Pacific coast, and probably in the whole country. During the year lumber to the amount of 411,793,952 feet was shipped, 152,294,378 feet going to foreign countries. One mill at Port Blakeley turned out an average of 30,000 feet of lumber for every working day of last year.

George L. Wellington, who has been elected to succeed Senator Gibson of Maryland, is what is commonly termed a self-made man. He attended school only a year and a half in his boyhood, but afterward, while at work, spent his evenings in securing an education, which included a thorough grounding in history and literature.

A German publication bearing the title "Princely Authors of the Nineteenth Century," shows that thirty illustrious personages in Europe have made contributions to the world's literature. The first on the list is the Kaiser, with his "Song to Aegir," and one of the last is, curiously enough, the Shah of Persia. The book contains many royal literary efforts never before printed.

Says the Baltimore News, speaking of the new president of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad: "An analogy has been pointed out between the case of Mr. Cowen and that of Mr. Depew, now for many years president of the New York Central Railroad. Both are eminent lawyers and distinguished public speakers. Neither was a trained railroad man when elected to the railroad presidency. Both have been prominently connected with politics."

There seems to be little doubt that John B. Robinson of South Africa is the richest man in the world. His fortune is estimated at $50,000,000. In 1873 Robinson was in debt. He had kept a grocery store in the Orange Free State, but he could not make both ends meet. He and his wife begged their way for 300 miles to Kimberly. Here Robinson laid the foundation of his enormous fortune by picking up a rough diamond worth $1,200. His ambition now is to be worth a billion.

The Minneapolis people wish to know what else could have been expected of a steamer named St. Paul.

Rudyard Kipling is said to be infatuated with his work as a playwright and dreams of triumphs in a new field.

Eight of the ten universities of Great Britain now admit women to degrees, and it is likely that Cambridge will soon be the ninth. The growth of the women's colleges at this university—Girton and Newnham—is a remarkable example of women's progress in academic education.

Senator Evarts, when asked once by one not initiated if there was a difference between a canvas back and a red head duck, and if he could tell the difference, quickly replied: "I can, very readily; it is simply in the size of the bill."

An investigation of the question of school lunches has been made in Boston recently, and arrangements have been made for the furnishing of cheap lunches in the high schools at a cost of five and ten cents. A delicate point under consideration is how to furnish lunches to those children who are unable to pay for them. In serving lunches at the noon hour it is found that there is a decided tendency to eat too fast. One visitor kept tally on the boys, and found a boy who broke the record by getting away with three sandwiches, a piece of cake and a cup of chocolate in four minutes by the watch.

HUMOROUS.

Papa (on the top of the stairs)—Is that young man gone, Mamie?

Mamie—Yes, papa; awfully!—Judge.

Paternal Visitor—Do you like to go to school, little boy?

Little Boy—Yes, I like goin' to school well enough and comin' home all right. What I don't like is havin' to stay cooped up in there between times.—Somerville Journal.

The leap-year girl should learn to pay the bills like a little man.—Philadelphia Record.

A Leap-Year Opportunity—She—Do you think it would be unmaidenly for a girl to propose to a man?

He—Certainly not, if she is rich enough for two.—New York Sun.

Timid Old Lady (watching the agitated water)—Are there ever any persons lost in this river, boatman?

Ferryman—Bless yer, no mum; we allus finds 'em again the next day.—London Tit-Bits.

"I always meet trouble half way," said the man who had paid half of his promissory note and arranged for an extension of the other half.—Detroit Free Press.

The rising orator of the backwoods of Canada was lately addressing an assembly of fellow-patriots. In the course of his speech his patriotism was bubbling over, his eloquence was a surprise to even himself, for this is what he stated: "The British lion, whether it is roaming the deserts of Africa or climbing the forests of America, will not draw in its horns or retire into its shell.—Detroit News.

She waved her hand imperiously.

"Be very careful," she commanded her maid, "of the perspective. You made me look dreadfully shallow last evening."

After that the making of her toilet proceeded without further interruption.—Detroit Tribune.

"It's a good deal of work to keep this tail of mine from getting twisted," said the British lion.

"You don't go about it in the right way," replied the Russian bear. "You ought to quit lashing it and wag it once in a while."—Washington Star.

"What you want," said the practical man who had gone to China as a missionary, "is civilization."

"How do you propose to give it to us?" inquired a man who had served against the Japanese.

"Well," was the thoughtful reply, "prayer books are the most lasting. But gunboats are a great deal quicker."

The Salaries of Dramatic Artists.

Sarah Bernhardt's salary is $1,500 a week. Yvette Guilbert receives, under her present contract, $7,000 a week, and Calve earns $1,200 for each of her appearances. Olga Nethersole earns $250 a week. What with his salary and percentage of the receipts, John Drew makes in good times $500 a week. A competent leading man or woman, like Henry Miller or Herbert Kelcey, Viola Allen or Isabel Irving can be had for $200 a week. The only player that has ever received, even in this prodigal country, a salary equal to that of Bernhardt was Mme. Modjeska. Edwin Booth, who knew nothing about the value of money, once engaged the Polish actress at a salary of $1,500 a week.

Mr. Grau's contract with Guilbert lasts only two weeks, after which she returns to the cheap prices of Paris. Calve's contract lasts five months, but during that time she sings only twice or three times a week, after which she returns to the moderate salaries of Europe. Melba receives $1,500 a night in this country, but in Paris she is content with $300 a performance. But Sarah Bernhardt's contract continues through summer and winter and every Saturday night she pockets $1500. Taking one thing with another, the actress is better off than the singers. Averaging the entire income of each performance, we should say that Calve earns $60,000 a year, Guilbert about $35,000, while Bernhardt is sure of $78,000 annually for five years.—From the Gothamite.

Awakened.

"Your highness!" exclaimed the grand vizier, as he rushed into the royal presence and flung himself at his sovereign's feet.

"Arise," was the gracious response. "You needn't prostrate yourself."

"I can't help it. This is a case of nervous prostration. Zobeide—"

"Yes—the queen of the harem—"

"Is on a rampage. She is looking for trouble with a searchlight and a Gatling gun, your majesty. She says that unless she is treated with more consideration she'll make your majesty's brow a candidate for a toupe and turn the palace into a discordant crimson wilderness."

"What is it all about?"

"That last costume you sent her from the milliner's."

"Why, it has been in style these hundreds of years. Everybody knows what a Turkish lady ought to wear. There can't be any trouble."

"Yes. She says the bloomers are all right. But what she wants is the bicycle that goes with them."

Beaten by Figures.

I was waiting at the depot for a southbound train when a negro drayman approached me, hat in hand, and said:

"'Scuse me, boss, but I wanter ax yo' a few queshuns."

"All right—go ahead."

"A few weeks ago I sold Mr. Peters a niewl for $15. Please put dat down."

"Yes."

"One time he pays me $3, an' agin he pays me $2. How much did dat leave to pay?"

"Ten dollars."

"Den he borrows $2 of me and lets it go on de mewl."

"That increased the debt to $12."

"Den he pays me $5 and borrows $7."

"That left him owing you $14."

"Den he pays me $4 and borrows $6, an' dat was de last transacshun' alll dis mawnin'."

"If you are right about the payments he still owes you $16."

"Shoo, but yo' doan' say! Why, dat man come 'long 'bout two hours ago and says to me: 'Joe, I doan' want to bodder you 'bout money, but I'se mighty hard up, an' if yo' kin gib me de $11 yo' is owin' me on dat mewl trade I shall esteem it a great favor.' Dat's what he said, sah, an' I handed out de money."

"Well, it seems to be rather mixed up."

"She do, sah. I reckoned Mr. Peters owed me $9 or $10, an' he dun reckoned I owed him $11. Ha! Shoo! Dat's de way of it. I never did 'sociate wid a white man in bizness dat I didn't get de wust of it, an' now yo' ha'r me when I say dat it's de last time—de last prevailin' occashun dat I make a trade wid any 'rithmetic in it."—Detroit Free Press.

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The Veto Power.

Editor Tribune—Sir: "Let the will of the people be the law of the land." With a satisfactory position upon the silver question the Republican party will beyond peradventure carry everything in the campaign of this year of 1896. The way to get this satisfactory position is very plain. Recognizing the fact that this is a democracy, let the matter be put squarely into the hands of the people. To do this, it is only necessary to put candidates in the field upon a platform binding them to a non-exercise of the veto power upon silver legislation. This would put the matter with the people to elect men of their own views to represent them in the Senate and House of Representatives at Washington, and then whatever these representatives might do would be the acts of the people and become the law of the land and be submitted to. It would not be a something dictated and coerced by a single individual representing only the executive branch of the government, and he to a very great extent irresponsible. The veto is a fragment of monarchism, of kingly power, projecting itself into our otherwise complete democratic form of government, and it should be stricken out of it, and until then we should put men in power who will not use it. The subject matter of this article is a timely one now, upon the eve of selecting delegates to the national convention, and the press ought to make it a very prominent one.

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"Many things impossible to thought
Have been by need to full perfection brought."

That is what's the matter with the Twelfth street dam, Mr. Editor. The good street is much needed, and it will be to "perfection brought" by the City Council, who, together with the Mayor, are gallantly standing in with us of the Seventh ward in our fight for better roads. Councilman Buckland desires not only to put Twelfth street in perfect order, but he is also in favor of having the rails of the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company taken entirely from the Twelfth street dam and moved to Eleventh street, where the Alameda Electric Company crosses the estuary. This would give us a clear, unobstructed roadway across the dam, which is just exactly what we are fighting for and expect to get.

Twelfth street is the main and only thoroughfare into Oakland from the eastward. It ought to be cleared of railroad iron and all other obstructions and dedicated to the people's use, to whom it properly belongs, and not given over to a corporation which has no interest in Oakland whatever except to gobble every nickel it can fasten its fingers upon belonging to the long suffering and deluded Oaklander. Why, the car company won't even keep the street in order between and on each side of the tracks, as the law says it shall. The good, smooth, safe roadway is the poor man's recreation ground, to ride, drive and walk upon.

We of the Seventh ward have suffered long and patiently, but have awakened at last to our rights and insist upon having them. It is our right to use Twelfth street without danger to life and limb. Surely there is nothing unfair in asking for this much.

The City Council, very justly recognizing the right of the people to the use of the Twelfth street dam, exclusive of railroad tracks, will no doubt proceed at once to regain possession of the street, clear it of obstructions and put it in order for the benefit of the walking and driving public. Moving continually in one groove becomes in time a habit. There is an old saying that "habits are at first a hair, at last a cable." If we of the Seventh ward had commenced our agitation years ago for a good, clear, unobstructed street from Broadway to East Oakland, it would have been done ere this, but we permitted ourselves to go to sleep and finally drifted into the habit of submission to things as they were. The frightful condition of Twelfth street remained with us so long, and we submitted so gently, that at last the pest spot which was at first a hair grew upon us until it became a cable which requires much effort to break. But, with the assistance of the Mayor and Council, we will rupture the cable, even "if it takes all summer to do it."

We of the Seventh have been bottled up so long that it will seem good to be able to get out once more and mingle freely with our fellow citizens of the other wards of Oakland proper. We are enlisted for the war and propose to stay with it to the end and until we have the unobstructed street we ask for. Our ward, the Seventh, is the largest in the city. We poll more votes than other wards. We are the most beautiful part of Oakland. Our women are as handsome and our sons as stalwart as in other wards of our city. Why then should we not be permitted to ask and receive for ourselves equal and exact justice?

The only thing the matter with the Seventh ward is her disreputable and beastly Twelfth street We of the Seventh ask for nothing more than what we are justly entitled to. I am certain that reasonable people will not say we are requesting too much when we ask for one good, unobstructed roadway, clear of car tracks, so that women and children, as well as timid men, can with safety drive in and out of Oakland eastward. We do ask this, as we are entitled to it, and we are satisfied that our City Council, being composed of reasonable men, will grant this our just request and proceed at once to give it full force and effect.

Some timid people say: "Well, the electric car company has possession of Twelfth street; how are you going to oust it?" Easy enough. Where two people enter into a contract with each other to do certain things, and one of the contracting parties fails utterly to carry out a most essential part of his agreement, then the contract becomes void and of no binding force on the other party.

The Haywards and San Leandro Electric Company, when it received its franchise from the city of Oakland to lay down its track and operate its road on Twelfth street, had to enter into the following agreement with the city, and which is the general law of the State governing the granting of all franchises whatsoever to any and all street railroad companies. This law, too, you will observe, is full of protection to the citizen provided the officials do their duty in the premises. Section 498, subdivision 2 of the Civil Code reads as follows, referring to the street railroad companies: "To plank, pave or macadamize the entire length of the street used by their tracks, between rails and for two feet on each side thereof, and between the tracks, if there be more than one, and to keep the same constantly in repair, flush with the street and with good crossings."

Does the Haywords and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company do that? Not at all. Its tracks are six inches above the level of the street the entire length of the Twelfth street dam. Its failure to keep the tracks level with the street is a violation of its contract with the city, and the city has the power and ought to annul the contract made between it and the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company.

"Ah, yes; but how is that to be done?" Easy enough. Section 73 of the charter of the city of Oakland reads as follows: "The board (meaning the Board of Public Works) shall appoint a Superintendent of Streets, whose duty shall be to see that the laws (meaning the general laws of the State), ordinances and regulations relating to public streets and highways be fully carried into execution and the penalties thereof rigidly enforced."

Now, it must have come to the knowledge of the Superintendent of Streets that the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company is violating its contract with the city when it refuses to put Twelfth street dam in order between and on each side of its tracks. What, then, is the duty of the Superintendent of Streets? Why, report the delinquent street car company, with all the detailed facts of its failure to comply with the law, to the City Attorney, who, in turn, under section 46 of the charter, should at once, under the direction of the City Council, commence suit to annul the franchise of the offending corporation. Prompt action on these lines would very soon bring the arrogant violators of the law to their senses. Here, you see, is an easy and natural way of getting the tracks from off the Twelfth street dam.

I am in favor of having all the street car lines possible coming into Oakland, but I am not in favor of giving up to them all and every street for railroad purposes. The people are entitled to one safe, unobstructed road or street from Broadway to East Oakland, and the Council should and no doubt will give it to us.

After the franchise of the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad has been annulled and set aside by the courts, then the city could grant to it the right of way to run its cars over the trestle built by the Alameda Electric Railroad Company across the estuary at Eleventh street from Oak street to Third avenue. This could be done under section 499 of the Civil Code, relating to the granting of franchises to street railroads, which reads as follows: "Two corporations may be permitted to use the same street, each paying an equal portion for the construction of the track, but in no case must two railroad corporations occupy and use the same street and track for a distance of more than five blocks." Now here is an easy and just solution of the question of the removal of the tracks from the Twelfth street dam. We of the Seventh ward call upon the Superintendent of Streets, the Council and the City Attorney of Oakland to help us in this matter. All they will have to do is to perform their sworn duty.

Have they the moral courage to do it? The merchants, too, of Oakland ought to see that it would be to their interest to have one unobstructed road (wagon road I mean, not railroad) into Oakland from the east. Women are not likely to risk their own lives and those of their children by driving into Oakland to do their shopping, if there is danger of a capsize and runaway by reason of an electric car whizzing past them every few moments. What they will do, however, is this—quietly take a car and go to San Francisco to do their trading. Can the merchants of Oakland blame them for doing so? Many a lady with her little children would delight to drive her horse and buggy into our city to do her buying could it be done with safety. Can she do it in justice to herself and children? Not at all. Therefore, merchants of Oakland, especially the Board of Trade, help us get this good safe wagon road (not railroad) over the Twelfth street dam into Oakland from the eastward. Call a meeting of your organization, and consider the matter, and after having done so, petition to your Council to clear off Twelfth street from all railroad tracks and have it put in perfect condition for driving upon. This is the only way for you gentlemen to regain the lost traffic from the east side. We desire to trade with you, but cannot reach you, by reason of the more than beastly condition of the only street leading from East Oakland into Oakland proper. We are bottled up.

It seems to me that the whole question has resolved itself down to just this: "Is the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company greater than the Seventh ward? Which is of the most consequence to the city of Oakland? If the electric railroad is, then we had better cut ourselves loose and go back into the old organization known as "Brooklyn." We were taxed less, were happier and had better streets under the old regime.

We propose to keep up the fight for a good roadway into East Oakland across the dam until we are recognized and get that road. And if any man or set of men stand in our way, we will try and convert them.

It is somewhat of a surprise to us of the Seventh ward that the Tribune is the only paper which takes any interest in us and has a good word in favor of the street improvement we are asking for. What is the matter with the Times and the Enquirer? Have they no interest in the Seventh ward? I hope this neglect on their part is not intentional. We are a very large spot in Oakland, gentlemen, and are worthy of your consideration. Kindly take a whiff of the oxygen that is now flying about, brighten up your ideas and say a good—aye, many good words for us of the Seventh ward. He who is not for us is against us.

HARRY N. MORSE.

SAVED FROM NICOTINE.

Father and Son Set Free at Asheville, N. C.

Little Charley Fogleman Used Tobacco Since Babyhood, and His Father Smoked and Chewed for the Past Twenty Years.

"Is that true?" asked the News' man at Pelham's Pharmacy, as he laid down a letter in the presence of a dozen interested customers.

"Yes, it is," promptly answered the proprietor. "It was written here on one of our letterheads, and signed by J. C. Fogleman, who lives at No. 5 Buxton street. We all know he is a man of his word."

"I am glad to hear it. You will agree with me that it is almost too good to be true. This is what the letter said:

Office of Pelham's Pharmacy, 24 Patton avenue, Asheville, N. C., September 12, 1894.—Gentlemen: My little boy, now 8 years, began chewing tobacco when 3 years old by the advice of our family physician, in the place of stronger stimulants. Four or five weeks ago I began giving him No-To-Bac, which I bought at Pelham's Pharmacy, and to my great surprise, and, it is needless to say, my delight, No-To-Bac completely cured him. He does not seem to care for tobacco, and is very much improved in health, eats heartily and has a much better color.

"Finding such remarkable results from the use of No-To-Bac I began myself, and it cured me, after using tobacco, in all its various forms, for a period of twenty years.

"I take pleasure in making this plain statement of facts for the benefit of others.

(Signed) J. C. FOGLEMAN."

"What's that?" asked Chief of Police Hawkins, whose manly form attired in the new police uniform, like Solomon in all his glory, came to the door.

"Why, No-To-Bac cures!"

"Cures?" Why, I should say so. I have used it myself. It cured me."

"Would you object to making a statement of the fact for publication?"

"Certainly not," and the Chief wrote as follows:

"Asheville, N. C., Sept. 25, 1894.—Pelham's Pharmacy—I bought one box of No-To-Bac from you some time since. After using No-To-Bac I found I had lost the desire for tobacco. I was cured.

"I have used tobacco—chiefly chewing—for eight (8) or ten (10) years.

"H. S. HAWKINS."

Everybody looked astonished and wondered what would next turn up.

"Suppose it don't cure?" someone asked.

"Then you get your money back," replied the druggist. "No-To-Bac is made by The Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago, Montreal and New York, and as sterling in character as in name. By them every druggist in America is authorized to sell No-To-Bac under an absolute guarantee to cure or money refunded. They always do the square thing. Here, read their famous booklet, 'Don't Tobacco Spit and in it.'"

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Harold L. Martin and his young bride returned yesterday from their honeymoon to San Jose.

Mrs. J. C. Scott of San Diego with her son Harold, contemplates a visit to this city and San Francisco.

Rev. M. Willett of East Oakland returned from a visit to Santa Cruz yesterday morning. Mr. Willett used to be a pastor in Santa Cruz and last Sunday occupied his old pulpit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Grassell of Alameda left today for Portland, Oregon, where Mr. Grassel intends to go into business. Their sons Fred and C. F., both well known in this city, will remain at their present residence.

Alfred Kane of San Francisco has purchased a lot in Golden Gate, where he will build a handsome residence.

Rev. Edwards Davis has recovered sufficiently from his illness to be about again.

Miss L. Stone of Gilroy is the guest of her brother, Contractor Stone of this city.

The Oakland Society Dancing Club will hold its Eighth social dance in the club rooms, College Hall, Twelfth and Harrison streets, this evening.

H. B. Pasmore's lecture on "Singing" at Hamilton Hall last night was largely attended.

Miss Marion Taylor will make her first public appearance since her return from Europe at the Carr-Beel concert to be given next Saturday at Golden Gate Hall. Miss Taylor has undoubted talent, which has been developed by such noted teachers as Madame Marchesi and Georges Marty.

The concert of the Sunday School orchestra, First Congregational church, on Friday evening, promises to be unusually fine. The program will be as follows: Overture, "Semiramide;" (a) Romance, duo for flute and French horn, Henry M. Fine, A. P. Leach; (b) Manzanillo, "Mexican Dance;" soprano solo, (a) "Love in Idleness," (b) "Mandolinata;" fantasies, "Dream Pictures," with zither solo by Miss Josephine Blessing; piano solo, "Capricio Brilliant," with orchestral accompaniment, Miss Bessie M. Channell. Part II—Walther's Preis Lied, "Die Meistersingers;" violin solo played by all the first violins with harp and orchestral accompaniment; cornet solo, fantasie, "The Favorite," with orchestral accompaniment, C. W. Crabtree; tenor solo, W. M. Simonsen; march, orchestra and Oakland amateur concert band; soprano solo (a) "Bolero," (b) "The Merry Maidens," Miss Sofia Newland; two dances, from the Suite, "From all Nations," (a) Spanish, (b) Hungarian, orchestra, harp and piano.

Rev. Dr. R. F. Coyle, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, was tendered a reception last evening in the church parlors. The entertainment was to celebrate the sixth anniversary of his pastorate. At 6 o'clock the brigade hall adjoining the church was thrown open. Long tables prettily decorated filled the large room. On them was spread a sumptuous banquet to which 500 did justice. During the evening Dr. Coyle was presented with a handsome Morocco arm chair, from the Pastor's League and Pastors' Aid Society. He accepted the present with a neat address in which he thanked his congregation for their kindness.

Miss Gretchen Burnett at last Sunday's exercises in St. Paul's Episcopal church in the absence of the vested choir, sang "O Rest in the Lord," from "Elija," with much sweetness and effect. The singing was by request and displayed a voice of so much promise that leading vocal instructors assert she is capable of attaining to much distinction in the lyric world.

Nettie Laymance, leading milliner, 955 Broadway.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

TUESDAY, February 4 1896.

Jose S. Damos to Antonio V. Fereira, all int S Montgomery 225 E Summit E 25 x S 100, lot 10, blk I, New Town of Lynn, Q. C. D., $5.

Antonio V. Fereira to Jose S. Damos, all int S Montgomery 200 E Summit E 25 x S 100, lot 9, blk I, same, Q. C. D., $5.

Frank M. and Mary Donnoran to Felix Marcuse, E Wood 115 N Railroad av N 35 x E 100, ptn lots 35 and 36, blk I, Chapin tct, $10.

Mary and Frank M. Donnovan to same, same, $10.

Mandel Levy to Hannah Levy, W Adeline 144 S Fifth S 37-6 x W 128-3, being lot 34 and ptn lot 33, blk 477, Briggs tract, reserving to Meyer Levy right to use water from well and tank on said premises, $10.

Margaret Craik Willkie by Bozo Radovich, attorney, to Joan N. G. Hunter, all real and personal property in decree Joan N. G Hunter vs. Harmon J. Tilden, et al., No. 42,100; all real and personal ppty in estate David Hunter, No. 13,251, grant.

Mary Craik by Ignatz Steinhart and P. N. Lilienthal, attys, to same, same, grant.

Geo. Methven by same attys to same, same, grant.

Ellen Methven Stewart to same, same, grant.

Betsy Webster to same, same, grant.

Jennie Hunter Methven Crichton to same, same, grant.

Denis Donohoe, James Keith Robertson by T. E. K. Cormac and Denis Donohe Jr., to same, same, grant.

Joan N. G. Hunter to Harry and Max Silverstein, S Sixth 125 E Jefferson E 37-6 x S 100, lot 12, blk 52, $10.

L. L. M. and Emily W. Salsbury to A. J. Smithson, lots 61 and 62, Piedmont Villa tract, subj to a mtge for $1022, $10.

Caroline Baldwin to Sherman C. Baldwin, W Morton 225 N Kings av W 150 x N 50, blk 2, Fitch tract, $5000.

Carrie S. Alden by atty to Wm. Rae, lots 42 and 43, blk B, amended map Christiana tract, $350.

Frank and Catherine Loretz to Chas. and Bridget Christensen, lot 3, blk 26, tract B, Berkeley L. & T. I. Association, $10.

Fruitvale Land Co. to Patrick Britt, W Cleveland av 150 N Twelfth N 25 x W 120, blk C, Huntington tract, $190.

Chas. Babb to Elizabeth C. Van Winkle, N Bay av 140.138 NE from E cor Lake Shore av and Bay av NE 125-6 NW 80 SW to beg, being lot 38, ppty of Capitol Hd Assn, $10.

Harriet E. Tharp to Eugene H. Tharp, 10.37 acres, being the same ppty conveyed by Arthur and Mary U. Sumner to first party and recorded in 268 d 337; 2 acres adjoining above and being the same ppty conveyed by J. H. Dorety to first party by deed dated May 13, 1886, and recorded in 305 d 335, gift.

E. H. Tharp to Ernest L. Campbell, 12.37 acres, being same 2 pieces previously described (10.37 acres and 2 acres), $10.

Wm. Frakes to Franz Haera, 1 acre beg at NW cor lands of Rawe on E side Rose av th NW 3.17 chs x NE 3.17 chs, ptn plot 44, Ro El Valle de San Jose, $10.

Eugene Barsac et al., by commr, to G. A. Williams, 10 acres beg at a pt in center line Co. road survey No. 1408, 5 chs E of SW cor plot K, Ro Las Positas, th N 20 chs x E 5 chs, ptn said plot K, $1194.

Forrest S. Rowley to Betsy Meyer, SW Nineteenth and Cypress W 122-9 S 52-4½ W 13-3 S 25-4½ E 136 N 104-9, $10.

Betsy Meyer to Edward Arents, same, $10.

Mrs. M. A. March to Jas. Stewart, W Curtis 62-6 S Lydia st S 37-6 x W 100, blk I, Curtis & Williams tract, $10.

Jas. Henderson to Matilda Henderson, NW Twenty-seventh av 75 SW East Tenth st SW 25 x NW 75, blk O, Knowles & Potter sub Kennedy tct; E Pine 56-4 S Taylor S 27 x E 90, blk 695, gift.

Mary J. Veltea, formerly Knowles, to Wm. A. Knowles, all int in Broadway Terrace tract, Q. C. D., $10.

Wm. Sample to Robert D. Sample, lots 19 and 20, blk C, Lincoln Park, subj to mtge for $300, $10.

Wm. and Mary Norman to Gottlob Reinhardt, lots 10 to 13, blk A, Everett tract, $10.

Jas. Henderson to Matilda Henderson, W Willow st 50 N Railroad av N 50-2 x W 100, blk 10, ppty of J. D. Thompson, gift.

Eunice L. Brewster to Mary F. Delanoy, NE Grand st and Encinal av E 100 x 5, subj to mtge to German S. & L. Soc'y for $1100, $10.

When tired and thirsty, for rest, a nice bit of lunch and a cool drink, go to Earl & Martin's wine rooms, 467 Tenth street, between Broadway and Washington.

A SHORT SESSION.

Civic Matters Up Before the Board of Public Works.

The Mayor and City Attorney met last night as the Board of Public Works, the city engineer being unavoidably absent.

They accepted the invitation to participate in the Washington birthday parade.

To the committee of the whole, which will meet next Friday night, they sent the following matters:

Robert Schulz' application for landscape gardener for the public parks; the petition of E. Bushnell and others to have the gutters near the blind home bridged over.

The resolution directing the repair of the Kirkham street sewer south of Fifth street was referred to the superintendent of streets.

The bids for furnishing blankets were referred to the committee of the whole.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

A Meeting of the Society for the Furtherance of Humanity.

At the meeting of the Alameda County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals last night, it was reported that 41 cases had been attended to during the month and that ten worthless horses had been killed.

The contribution of $50 from the Oakland Exposition Association was accepted with thanks.

The new badges of the society, consisting of a silver shield on which is engraved a horse's head and the initials of the organization, were distributed among the members, Dr. Wendte receiving the first.

Tradesmen to Move.

The Federation of Trades has decided to move from its present headquarters on Washington street near Eighth, where it has been quartered for a long time, but has not yet selected another place.

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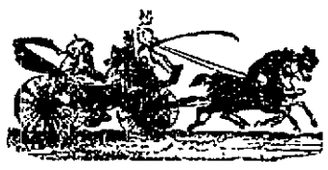

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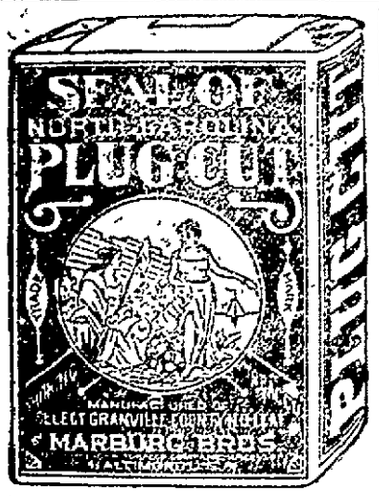

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WILL NOT BE FED.

Students Disappointed at the Action of the Co-eds.

NO DOUGHNUTS IN SIGHT.

The Project Is Abandoned on Account of Its Expense.

ROAD WORK SOON STARTS.

The Wood-Choppers Rapidly Removing the Big Trees.

BERKELEY, Feb. 4.—The co-eds will not serve luncheon to the perspiring student laborers. It was so decided yesterday at a meeting in Stiles hall presided over by Millicent W. Shinn. Undergraduates, graduate students and alumnae were present, and the majority of them concluded the boys could leave the campus long enough to get their luncheon without seriously interfering with the progress of the work.

The time of the meeting was pleasantly spent passing motions and then reconsidering and voting them down. The alumnae wanted it, but the co-eds now in college didn't, so everything was debated and everybody had a motion.

The expense bounded from $100 up to $300, and after a while the motions were focused on the question of expense. It was the sense of the meeting that $300 could be put to a more substantial and lasting use than in buying provender for several hundred hungry students. Various suggestions as to what the money would buy besides a luncheon were made and proved to be quite a factor in deciding the motion finally presented.

Much disappointment is felt among the students over the decision. The majority of them were looking forward to it with great pleasure. The "Berkeleyan" heartily supported the idea and had a hopeful editorial entitled "He Who Works Must Eat," but now all hopes have been dashed to the ground.

WHEN WORK BEGINS.

Not many days more will elapse before the students begin their labor. The wood-choppers have about finished their task, and have removed several large fir trees from the line of the path. The students are consequently anticipating some word from Regent Reinstein every day regarding the exact date of the work. The Regents' bulletin board will be eagerly scanned until a notice appears. All that now remains to be done is to chop down one or two large oaks and the way is clear for the path.

CARNOT DEBATE.

The Carnot debate between the Universities of California and Stanford will be held on Friday evening in Stiles hall. The men who are to represent California are still studying hard and reading widely in French political works. The debaters are compelled this year to become thoroughly conversant with both sides of the question, as they will not be given a choice of sides beforehand. The object of this is to cultivate the faculty of spontaneity, which is foremost in Eastern institutions. California is more than usually confident, and a great crowd of her followers will attend Friday night.

THE LICENSE COMMITTEE.

The special license committee met in the Town Hall Monday night to confer with the merchants and teamsters who are affected by the license imposed upon teams, and signed a protest against it. Nothing definite was decided, but the committee will be able to report intelligently at the next meeting of the Trustees. What the merchants wanted was an equalization and reduction of the tax, and although the Trustees think it just the way it now stands, they will probably concede what is asked for.

SCARLET FEVER.

A scarlet fever scare has been started in Berkeley, but owing to the prompt action of Health Officer Rowell, nothing serious is expected. He was apprised of a case of scarlet fever in the family of Mr. Middlehoff, and quarantined the premises. To prevent its spreading in the Whittier school, Dr. Rowell telephoned the principal to send him all children suffering from sore throat. His office was full of them in the afternoon, and they will not be allowed to return to school until perfectly well.

ROBBERY AT THE TANNERY.

Sneak thieves entered the tannery at the west end, and while the men were engaged in work, and made off with a suit of clothes. They proved a little better than a new suit of clothes, as $5 was in one of the pockets.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

Nominations for football manager were made today. The election will be held on Friday from 11 A. M. to 4 P. M.

The ladies of the faculty entertained the students at Stiles hall this afternoon. Quite a large number of students attended and enjoyed the opportunity of meeting the faculty socially.

The football eleven will meet Saturday and elect a captain. The candidates are Sherman and Ransom. It is difficult to say who stands the best chance.

Professor Le Conte lectured before the Academy of Science last Monday evening on James Dwight Dana, the eminent scientist who died last April.

The West Berkeley Progressive club meets tonight.

Col. Greenleaf's lecture arranged by Rev. E. B. Payne for Friday night has been postponed to make way for the Carnot debate.

The Crescent Athletic club is making great preparations for the ladies' night to be held tomorrow evening. A fine programme of boxing, wrestling and tumbling has been arranged.

The Board of Education is considering plans for a two-room addition to the Lorin school.

Laboratory students are objecting to a new regulation of the faculty appropriating surplus deposits for High school visitors to the laboratories. The deposits amounting from $12.50 to $20 are made to cover the actual cost of materials used in experiments, and heretofore the balance has been returned to depositors. Some students have had $6 or $7 returned to them at the end of a course, and they feel it an imposition to be in future deprived of their rebates.

OCEAN STEAMERS.

Dates of Departure From San Francisco.

Homer, Coos Bay, Feb. 6, 5 P. M.
Rio Janeiro, China and Japan, Feb. 6, 3 P. M.
Mariposa, Sydney, Feb. 6, 2 P. M.
Santa Rosa, San Diego, Feb. 7, 11 A. M.
Corona, Humboldt Bay, Feb. 7, 2 P. M.
Acapulco, Panama, Feb. 8, 12 M.
Arago, Coos Bay, Feb 8, 10 A. M.
Columbia, Portland, Feb. 8, 10 A. M.
St. Paul, Newport, Feb. 9, 9 A. M.
Farallon, Yaquina Bay, Feb. 9, 5 P. M.
Walla Walla, Victoria, etc., Feb. 9, 9 A. M.
Coos Bay, Mexico, Feb. 10, 10 A. M.
Mexico, San Diego, Feb. 11, 11 A. M.
State of California, Portland, Feb. 13, 10 A. M.

STEAMERS TO ARRIVE.

Columbia, Portland, Feb. 6.
Empire, Portland, Feb. 6.
Truckee, Tillamook, Feb. 6.
Corona, Humboldt Bay, Feb. 6.
St. Paul, Newport, Feb. 7.
Arago, Coos Bay, Feb. 7.
Arcata, Coos Bay, Feb. 7.
Zealandia, Panama, Feb. 8.
Gaelic, China and Japan, Feb. 8
Farallon, Yaquina Bay, Feb. 8.
Australia, Honolulu, Feb. 8.
Mexico, San Diego, Feb. 9.
South Coast, Portland, Feb. 9.
San Benito, Tacoma, Feb. 9.
San Juan, Panama, Feb. 10.
Umatilla, Victoria, Feb. 10.
State of California, Portland, Feb. 10.
Alice Blanchard, Portland, Feb. 10.
Costa Rica, Departure Bay, Feb. 10.
Crescent City, Crescent City, Feb. 11.
Eureka, Newport, Feb. 11.
North Fork, Humboldt Bay, Feb. 11.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVED.
TUESDAY, February 4.

Str Willamette, Cushman, 3 days from Departure Bay; 2200 tons coal to Oregon Improvement Company.

Str Westport, Peterson, 60 hours from Huenome; 5000 sacks barley, 700 sacks wheat, 1 cases eggs, to Field & Stone.

Str Al Ki, Patterson, 60 hours from Astoria; mdse, etc., to Goodall, Perkins & Company.

Ital war str Cristoforo Colombo, Bertolino, 1½ days from Esquamalt.

Ship Dashing Wave, Morehouse, 13 days from Tacoma; lumber and laths to Hanson & Co.

Ship Columbia, Nelson, 14 days from Seattle; 2270 tons coal to P. B. Cornwall.

Bark Rufus E. Wood, McLeod, 9 days from Nanaimo; 2200 tons coal to John Rosenfeld's Sons.

Bktn North Bend, Wallace, 6 days from Wallipa Harbor; 400 M feet lumber to Simpson Lumber Co.

CLEARED.
TUESDAY, February 4.

Br str Wellington, Salmond, Nanaimo; R. Dunsmuir & Sons.

Str Eureka, Jepsen, San Pedro; Goodall, Perkins & Co.

Str North Fork, Hansen, Eureka; Chas. Nelson.

Br ship Strathgryfe, Ritchie, Liverpool; Gavin & Eyre.

SAILED.
TUESDAY, February 4.

Str City of Puebla, Debney, Victoria and Port Townsend.
Br str Wellington, Salmond, Nanaimo.
Str George Loomis, Bridgett, Ventura.
Str Mackinaw, Littlefield, Tacoma.
Str Gipsy, Leland, Santa Cruz.
Str Whitesboro, Johnson.
Str Jewel, Madsen, Caspar.
Bark Wilna, Slater, Nanaimo.

TELEGRAPHIC.

POINT LOBOS, February 4, 10 P. M.—Weather clear; wind NW; velocity 16 miles.

TRANS-ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

NEW YORK—Arrived Feb. 4, Fulda from Genoa and Naples.
Sailed Feb. 4, Lahn for Bremen.
QUEENSTOWN—Arrived out Feb. 4, Teutonic.
GIBRALTER—Arrived out Feb. 4, Burgundia from New York for Naples and Marseilles.
FUNCHAL—Arrived out Feb. 4, Fuerst Bismarck, on excursion.
LIZARD—Passed Feb. 4, Veendam from New York for Rotterdam, Stuttgart from New York for Bremen, St. Louis from New York for Southampton.

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Parlor furniture, bed lounges. They must be sold at once at H. Schellhaas', 408 Eleventh street.

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ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Tuolumne Mill and Mining Co. Location of principal place of business, Oakland, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the directors held on January 13, 1896, an assessment to be known as assessment No. 58, of twenty-five ($25) dollars per share, was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately to the secretary of the company at the company's office at Oakland, Pier, Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 12th day of February, 1896, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and, unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 10th day of March, 1896, to pay the delinquent assessment together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

H. N. SLOPER,
Secretary Tuolumne Mill & Mining Co.
Office, Oakland Pier, Oakland, Cal.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the East Oakland Street Railroad Company will be held on Tuesday, February 4th, 1896, at No. 458 Ninth street, Oakland, Cal., at the hour of 3:30 o'clock P. M., for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing term.

W. P. MELVIN,
Secretary East Oakland Street R. R. Co.

LEGAL.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

ELIZABETH A. RODGERS, substituted as plaintiff in place of W. F. GOAD and A. W. FOSTER, as the executors of the last will of ALEXANDER MONTGOMERY, deceased,
Plaintiff,
vs.
JOHN AYLWARD, MICH MULLANY, JOSEPH WATERMAN, W. H. WRIGHT, HIRAM BAILEY, and BANK OF LIVERMORE, a corporation,
Defendants.
No. 5336 Dept. No. 1

Under and by virtue of a writ issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, on the 1st day of February, 1896, in an action wherein Elizabeth A. Rodgers, substituted as plaintiff in place of W. F. Goad and A. W. Foster, as the executors of the last will of Alexander Montgomery, deceased, was plaintiff, and John Aylward, Mich Mullany, Joseph Waterman, W. H. Wright, Hiram Bailey and Bank of Livermore, a corporation, were defendants, and wherein the said plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against the defendants, on the 30th day of January, 1896, for the sum of $5336 50-100 in Gold Coin of the United States of America, and the further sum of $200, as attorney and counsel fees; and the further sum of $23 50-100 costs, with interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum on all of said amounts from date of said judgment, which said judgment was on the 30th day of January, 1896, recorded in Judgment Book No. 19, of the said Court, at page 495, I am commanded to sell in one parcel the following described lands and premises and property, to-wit:

All the said John Aylward's interest, claim, demand and property of, in and to the waters of the Creek known as Mocho, in Murray Township, County of Alameda, State of California, and all easements, rights of way, dams, ditches, reservoirs, pipes, flumes, gates, faucets, connections and appurtenances used in appropriating said waters or in conducting the same to the Town of Livermore, in said Township, or elsewhere.

And also all the water, water rights, pipes, flumes, lands, rights of way, and property of every description owned or used by the said defendant, John Aylward, in, belonging to, or in connection with, his water works in the Town of Livermore, and in or in connection with or belonging to the Las Positas Springs and Creek, in said Murray Township, and also all the lands and improvements which the said defendant John Aylward owns on the elevated grounds around or in proximity to the reservoirs and in appropriating said waters of Las Positas Springs and Creek, and which said property is more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

First:—A water right to the waters of the Las Positas Springs and Creek situate in the part of the Rancho Las Positas now or late belonging to Robert Livermore.

Second:—One-half acre of land about the said Springs and about Five Hundred and Twenty (520) feet to the east of the point where said Las Positas Creek passes over the line dividing the lands of Livermore from those of Aurrecoechea.

Third:—A flume together with the right of way therefor passing over the lands now or late of Devamore Aurrecoechea, Alviso Pacheco and Avila to the tract of land hereinafter described.

Fourth:—A certain tract of land in said Murray Township seven (7) acres in extent, in which is situate certain reservoirs and a boiler, pump and engine, which land is bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—Commencing at a stake on the easterly line of the County Road, running northerly from said Town of Livermore and known as Road Survey No. 1548, and at the northwest corner of a tract of land containing about 2 acres, conveyed by Mariano Avila and Charlotte, his wife, to George Patter; running thence along said easterly line of said County Road north 3¾ degrees west four hundred and thirty-five (435) feet to a stake; thence at right angles north 86½ degrees east seven hundred (700) feet to a stake; thence at right angles south 3¾ degrees east four hundred and thirty-five (435) feet to a stake at the northeast corner of said tract of land conveyed to said George Patter; thence south 86¾ degrees west along the northerly line of said tract, seven hundred (700) feet to the point of commencement.

Fifth:—A certain line of pipe with the right of way therefor, running from the tract of land last above described to and through the streets of the Town of Livermore.

Sixth:—A water right to the waters of the Arroyo Mocho from a point in the same at or about where said Arroyo Mocho crosses the line between sections five and eight, and at or a few yards east of the line between Sections seven (7) and eight (8), all of said sections being in Township four (4) south, of Range three (3) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Seventh:—The right of way over and the right to the waters of said Arroyo Mocho flowing over section six (6) in Township four (4) south, of Range three (3) east, Section one (1), in Township four (4) south, of Range two (2) east, Sections 36, 25 and 26, in Township three (3) south, of Range two (2) east, all of Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Eighth:—A water right to the waters of Arroyo Mocho from a point in the same where the flume herein ninthly described takes water therefrom.

Ninth:—A flume together with the right of way therefor passing over Sections 26, 24 and 22 in Township three (3) south, of Range two (2) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Tenth:—The northeasterly one acre of the southeast quarter (S. E. ¼) of Section 22, in Township three (3) south, of Range 2 east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Eleventh:—A certain line of pipe, with the right of way therefor, running from the tract last above described over Section twenty-two (22), in Township three (3) south, of Range two (2) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, and over the highway running along the northeast side of the Rancho El Valle de San Jose to and through the streets of the Town of Livermore. Also improvements consisting of water pipes, gas pipes, hydrants, etc.

Together with all and singular the tenements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Public notice is hereby given that on

THURSDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1896,

At 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, State of California, I will, in obedience to said writ and judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property to the highest bidder for Gold Coin of the United States.

W. S. HARLOW,
Commissioner.

Dated, Oakland, February 1, 1896.
Rodgers & Paterson, attorneys for plaintiff.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ESTATE OF JOHN W. COLEMAN, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Julia M. Coleman, administratrix of the estate of John W. Coleman, deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Julia M. Coleman, administratrix, at her residence, Number 754 Eighth Street, Oakland, Alameda County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the County of Alameda, State of California.

JULIA M. COLEMAN,
Administratrix of the Estate of John W. Coleman, deceased.

Dated at Oakland, Jan. 29th, 1896.
John Garber, attorney for administratrix, 532 Market street, S. F.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ESTATE OF PAULINA SCHUBERT, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Paulina Schubert, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the office of Frederick E. Whitney, rooms 7 and 8, 996 Broadway, Oakland, Calif., which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Paulina Schubert, deceased.

WILLIAM H. KNIGHT,
Administrator of the estate of Paulina Schubert, deceased.

Dated Oakland, January 29th, 1896.
Frederick E. Whitney, attorney for administrator.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California,

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day, (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice of Hearing Before the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda of a Petition of A. P. Newbert and Others, for the Purpose of Regulating and Controlling the Charges for Water and Compensation to be Collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies in the County of Alameda, State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on the 9th day of March, 1896, at the Board rooms of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, City of Oakland, of said County, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day or as soon thereafter as the same can be heard, the petition of A. P. Newbert and others for the purpose of regulating and controlling the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies, for the County of Alameda, will be duly heard and considered by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda.

Said petition reads as follows:

PETITION FOR REDUCTION OF WATER RATES.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County:—

The petition of the undersigned respectfully shows and represents:

That the Council of the City of Oakland acting under the power conferred on them by law, have materially reduced the charge for the use of water supplied to the public by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies and that the new rates made by the said City Council are based upon the entire plant of said Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies and upon their entire revenue and are not confined to their expenditures and revenue arising solely within the corporate limits of the City of Oakland;

That therefore rates which will yield a lawful revenue within the said City of Oakland will also yield a lawful revenue when made applicable outside said limits;

That your petitioners are inhabitants of, and taxpayers of this County of Alameda, State of California, and reside outside the corporate limits of any City or Town in said County, and further represent that said petitioners are water-rate payers.

WHEREFORE the undersigned do hereby most respectfully petition your Honorable Board (acting under the powers conferred by law for the regulation of charges for the use of water as laid down by "An act to regulate and control the sale, rental and distribution of appropriated water in this State, other than in any City, City and County, or Town therein, etc." Approved March 12, 1885, regulate and reduce the rates lawfully to be charged by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies for the use of water in the territory within your jurisdiction outside the corporate limits of the City of Oakland as will make them uniform with such lawful rates as were recently enacted to apply within the corporate limits of the City of Oakland;

And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

A. P. Newbert, Elmhurst.
G. W. Semmers, Elmhurst.
G. B. McHale, Elmhurst.
George H. Butzbach, Elmhurst.
Thomas Prest, Elmhurst.
Ed Hoerst, Elmhurst.
Manuel Edwards, Elmhurst.
Mrs. R. M. Smith, Elmhurst.
W. C. Spiegel, Elmhurst.
O. O. Fox, Elmhurst.
Edward De Groat, Elmhurst.
E. Page, Elmhurst.
Wm. Dellenbough, Elmhurst.
M. Thurner, Elmhurst.
Wm. J. Keating, Elmhurst.
H. C. Brown, Elmhurst.
Claus Meyer, Elmhurst.
W. V. Monfort Elmhurst.
Newton Gray, Elmhurst.
Mrs. M. Allison, Elmhurst.
Mrs. G. Simonsen, Elmhurst.
Edw. N. Moor, Elmhurst.
H. Meyer, Elmhurst.
H. T. Hayes, Elmhurst.
William Warrilow, Elmhurst.
George L. Brown, Elmhurst.
H. Young, Elmhurst.
J. T. T. Chatel, Elmhurst.
Wm. Johnson, Fitchburg.
P. Parsson, Elmhurst.
James Barracks, Fitchburg.
Frank Miller, Fitchburg.
C. P. Murphy, Fitchburg.
J. F. Gonsalves, Fitchburg.
John Whalen, Fitchburg.
Daniel Lowell, Fitchburg.
C. Clement, Fitchburg.
E. F. Gibbs, Fitchburg.
J. P. Condon, Fitchburg.
C. J. Mendonsa, Fitchburg.
A. T. Nawth, Fitchburg.
M. Stone, Elmhurst.
J. N. Hitchcock, Elmhurst.
A. Jones, Elmhurst.
W. W. Kelleran, Elmhurst.
D. H. Babbitt, Elmhurst.
M. E. Allen, Elmhurst.
H. W. Whipple, Elmhurst.
Chas. Harrison, Fruitvale.
H. Hansen, Fruitvale.
Mary E. Werner, Fruitvale.
E. Gates, Fruitvale.

Said notice above set forth is made to notify all such persons, companies, associations and corporations mentioned in said petition and all persons interested in the matters of such petition and notice of the hearing of said petition of A. P. Newbert and others for the purpose of regulating and controlling the charges for water and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies in the said County of Alameda.

By order of the Board of Supervisors.
(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California.
Dated, February 3, 1896.

LEGAL.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

PACIFIC COAST SAVINGS SOCIETY, (a corporation),
Plaintiff,
vs.
DUNCAN ANDERSON, ET AL.,
Defendants.
No. 11,562

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1896, in the above entitled action wherein Pacific Coast Savings Society, (a corporation) the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Duncan Anderson, Agnes Anderson, Thomas Patrick Hogan, John Joseph Eagen and Hugh Hogan, co-partners doing business under the firm style of the Humboldt Lumber Company, defendants, on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1895, for the sum of eleven hundred and thirty-two and 68-100 dollars in United States gold coin, besides interest, costs and counsel fees, which said decree was on the 8th day of January, A. D. 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 19 of said Court, at page 410, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in Oakland township, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the northern line of McKee street, distant thereon one hundred and thirty-eight (138) feet four inches easterly from the eastern line of Baker street; running thence easterly along the said line of McKee street fifty (50) feet; thence northerly parallel with Baker street one hundred and thirty-four (134) feet; thence westerly parallel with McKee street fifty (50) feet; and thence southerly parallel with Baker street one hundred and thirty-four (134) feet to the place of beginning. Being a portion of lots Nos. 3, 4 and 5, in block marked "11" as the said lots are delineated and so designated on the plat entitled "Amended map of the J. W. Crawford Tract, Oakland Township," etc., filed on January 5th, 1886, in the County Recorder's office of said Alameda county.

Public notice is hereby given that on

Thursday, the 6th Day of February, A. D. 1896,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, January 10, 1896.

W. S. HARLOW,
A commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

Vincent Neale, Attorney for plaintiff, Mills Building, San Francisco.

SCHOOL BONDS FOR SALE.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California, made October 28th, 1895, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the treasurer of said county at the Hall of Records of said county, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock noon, on the 1st day of February, 1896, for the purchase of three bonds of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each of Newark School District of Alameda County; at which said time said proposals will be opened and said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash in United States gold coin, subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth. Said bonds were issued by said Board of Supervisors under and in accordance with the provisions of Section 1880 to 1889, both inclusive, of the Political Code, and in conformity with an order of the Board of Supervisors of said county passed October 28, 1895, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, interest payable on the first day of February of each year, out of and from the Building Fund of said Newark School District upon presentation and surrender to the treasurer of said county of the interest coupons.

Said bonds are to be numbered consecutively one to three inclusive and are to mature as follows, to wit:

Bond numbered One, one year from date.

Bond numbered Two, two years from date.

Bond numbered Three, three years from date.

Bids will be received for one or any larger number of said bonds up to three. All bids must be equal in amount to the par value of the bonds bid for and accompanied by a certified check or cash deposit in the sum of at least 10 per cent. of the amount of the bid, payable to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Newark School District of Alameda County. The said check or deposit will be returned in case of rejection of the bid, and be forfeited to the Board of Trustees if the bidder neglects to pay for the bond or bonds he bids for within five days after notice of the acceptance of the bid.

Upon the opening of said proposals said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidders for cash in United States gold coin subject to the above provisions.

All bids or proposals are to be addressed to the "Board of Trustees, Newark School District, care O. M. Sanford, Treasurer of Alameda County," and endorsed "Proposals for Bonds."

F. FALK,
JULIUS WILDERMUTH,
C. G. HEALY, Clerk.
Trustees Newark School District, Alameda County, California.
Dated December 28, 1895.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary Letford, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary Letford, deceased, and for the issuance to James Letford of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 10th day of February, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, January 24, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Snook & Church, attorneys for petitioner.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of James McPeake, deceased.

No. 4624.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of James McPeake, deceased, and for the issuance to David McCarron of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court; and that Monday, the 10th day of February, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated January 28, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
J. H. Smith, 957 Broadway, Oakland, attorney for petitioner.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John Willey, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John Willey deceased, and for the issuance to Jane T. Robinson of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 10th day of February, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, January 29th, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Endorsed: Filed Jan. 29th, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.

SPORTING NEWS

Outdoor Events Booming as a Result of Fine Weather.

CHANGES AT THE CLUBS.

Bicyclists Busily Preparing for the Road Races.

BASEBALL TAKES A SPURT.

The University Nine Will Try to Trip Up the Stanfords.

The close season for ducks and quails will commence on Feb 15th.

The Encinal Yacht Club has dedicated its new quarters in Alameda.

A rowing regatta on Lake Merritt is a proposed feature of the Washington's birthday celebration.

The Crescent Athletic Club will hold a "ladies' night" at Berkeley tomorrow evening

The next race of the Oakland Navy will be sailed on February 16th at 2 P. M.

The Intercycle baseball league has arranged a schedule of games for the season to commence March 1st

The Acme Club will hold a gentlemen's night on Feb 11th

Baseball practice is interesting the Y. M. C. A. men.

The Reliance Club has made $1,200 by the "7-20-8" performances.

Al. Lean, boxing instructor of the Acme Club, has resigned. He will devote his attention hereafter to the Reliance Club.

Baseball is the thing among the High school boys. A game between the low and the high seniors will be played next Saturday at the Madison street grounds.

THE UMPIRE.

The amateur baseball season gives promise of a most auspicious opening this year. The activity displayed over the organization of nines, both in San Francisco and on the eastern shore of the bay, is a fair indication that the game will not languish in this section of the State during 1896. The most important move that has been made in this direction is the formation of the Wheelmen's League. It has reached a perfect state now and is in a shape that augurs well for a very interesting series of games between the prominent clubs of San Francisco, Oakland and Alameda. There are eight represented in the league and each has taken pains to organize a nine that will play ball for all that there is in the game. The season with the league will open on March 1st and the schedule that has been arranged will give every club in the league ample opportunity to give an exhibition of its prowess with its fellow-members. There is no question that the league will not only develop a greater interest in the game, but will give an incentive to the members of the various clubs to make the wheel runs during the season much more interesting. The purpose of the league is incidentally two-fold. The games are to be played in connection with the club runs, and this of itself will stimulate members to join the runs and enjoy the sport on the diamond as well. Thus the original intent will be doubly realized. The one will not detract from the other. The members are sure to turn out in much greater force and the competition over the games will naturally lead in other directions to a more diversified programme.

The organization of amateur nines grows apace and there can be no doubt that with proper fostering, baseball can be brought to the front again in all its pristine glory. The game is far from dead. The very leaders in active outdoor sports—and reference is here made to the big University organizations—have undertaken the game this season with renewed vigor. They are bent upon displaying talent and skill on the diamond as well as on the gridiron field. They have, it will be observed, at both of the big institutions, Berkeley and Stanford, developed a fever for the game that gives promise of fairly rivalling football itself.

The nines at each institution are being organized of the very best material in the universities. The interest that is being manifested in this direction is best illustrated by the following from a local paper, which is watching the course of events at Berkeley with an eagle eye. "Baseball," says the writer, "is all the rage at the University at present. Such interest has not been manifested in the national game by the University students for years. Football has been crowded to the wall. Stanford has been supreme in baseball so long that the University boys are tiring of the monotony. They intend to break the spell this season if possible, and give the men of the cardinal hue something to do when they meet on the diamond."

There will also be a series of interfraternity games and the rivalry between the "frat" organizations is so keen that there is no question that some very exciting contests will take place. The national game has undoubtedly taken a strong hold among the college men and this is significant, for there are no more loyal supporters of any legitimate, clean and fair sport than these same University boys. It is a satisfactory showing as far as it goes for baseball there.

The same condition of affairs can be noted outside of the two departments mentioned. There appears in all amateur circles at least to be a general revival. The game has been buried in the oblivion of an unhallowed past so long that attempts to resuscitate it have been few and in a great measure little more than perfunctory. The great necessity for keeping any sport on a clean basis to make it popular is of as much importance to the baseball enthusiast as to the yachtsman, the rower, the runner or any one else. The demand today is for fair sport, and it should always be borne in mind that the line of demarcation that separates the professional world from the amateur should be so broad that the verjest tyro may view it and see the difference between the two. They can mix no better than oil and water. When it is attempted disaster has spread her wings and is ready to cast a lurid shadow over the whole proposition. This has been the experience of not a few who are now wiser for it. The Umpire cordially commends every effort, no matter how humble, to foster real, genuine sport. Professional pastimes, per se, are not objectionable. The methods too often employed by unscrupulous managers have more than once contributed to his downfall. Just so soon as patrons of any sport learn they have been tricked, there is a howl of disgust.

It is therefore a thousand fold better to start aright. The reward has reached many already who have established sports, and especially baseball, on a more substantial basis. I doubt not now that the game, under proper management, could be made a splendid proposition for both the managers and the public. There is no question that the game is not dead. While a bad taste is left after last year's experience in San Francisco and Los Angeles, the fact remains that drastic methods will furnish the remedy. The game, under proper auspices, will flourish. The argument is that the unusual activity displayed by the amateurs will certainly lead to the strongest sort of ideas upon the baseball craze which seems to be developing slowly.

The live topic of the day is the barring out of the Olympic nine by the Pacific Amateur Athletic Association. The club has been ruled off on the grounds of professionalism.

Interest in the Venezuelan question is heightened to some extent by the article here appended:

Baseball has its admirers even in far-away Caracas, and although but recently established in the Venezuelan capital, it is nevertheless well attended by the best society people of that metropolitan city. The grounds are kept in good condition and the players are enthusiastic. Light luncheon is served to patrons of the game.

Our South American friends could be imitated here without throwing any discredit on the game.

Indoor baseball continues to be the rage during the winter months in the East. THE UMPIRE.

AL. LEAN RESIGNS.

He Will no Longer Instruct the Acme Men.

A gloom hovers over the Acme gymnasium for the genial gymnastic instructor, Al. Lean, will no longer train the boys of the winged acorn. Al tendered his resignation last night. He will devote his entire time in the future to the Reliance Club and his private classes.

Lean has been instructor at the club for three years and in that time made friends with every member of the club. Some of the stoutest muscle in the club is the result of his instruction and the best athletes owe their long list of medals to him. So it is that the boys feel sorry to see him go. The resignation is the result of several causes, chiefly financial on the Acme side. Van Court is now left alone as boxing instructor. The athletes who are already proficient will impart their knowledge to the uninitiated.

The bicycle men are working hard to get in trim for the twenty-five mile road race, to be held over the San Leandro triangle on Washington's birthday. The Acme boys won the silver trophy last year, and will try to duplicate the performance this season, as the club winning the trophy three times has final possession of it. Much of the training is in the form of baseball. The Acme wheelmen, under Captain Swain, will be well represented in the newly organized league. Among the most prominent players are Gallindo, Smith, Agnew, Ruppert and Swain.

The regular baseball team is rather discouraged at the treatment of the Olympic nine. Though their enthusiasm is not lessened it is dampened. The boys will not do much for a couple of weeks. Captain Donovan received news yesterday that makes the athletic park an assured thing. Without a doubt the track will be constructed and at last there will be an athletic park on this side of the bay.

A BIG SUCCESS.

Financial Results of the "7-20-8" Show.

The Reliance Club is jubilant over the financial as well as the social success of "7-20-8." Between $1,200 and $1,600 clear was realized from the show. This places the club squarely on its feet and repays it for aiding charity as it has in so many ways.

On Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings Instructor Lean is on hand to train the athletes. The wheelmen are taking advantage of the opportunity and working regularly to get in form for the twenty-five mile road race. Captain Griffiths will put a strong team in the field equal to if not better than last year's. Great things are expected of the Reliance team this year.

The juvenile class is booming. Tuesday afternoons and Saturday mornings the youngsters turn out to enjoy the gym under proper instruction. Some good athletes will be the result of this early training.

The date of the ladies' night is not yet set, but it will be held in February. The boys are practicing for the event and will give a fine exhibition.

REGATTA ON THE LAKE.

A Big Project for Washington's Birthday.

The Washington's birthday celebration committee has in view a great boating regatta on Lake Merritt. Soundings have been made over a course that has been laid out by S. J. Fenbroke who has the arrangements for the regatta in charge and everything has been found satisfactory in that regard. The races will take place in the afternoon. So far as arranged there will be a four-oared barge contest between crews from the South End, Ariel, Pioneer, Dolphin and possibly Alameda rowing clubs. Several single scull races will bring out a good number of competitors while efforts are being made for a race between the University and the Columbia clubs' four-oared barge crews.

The course will be a mile with a turn.

CYCLING TOPICS.

Newsy Items From the Wheelmen's Corner.

The changeable gear for bicycles is coming more and more into vogue and will be used to a large extent the ensuing season. When the rider understands and appreciates that he can have a high and low gear on his wheel with able opportunity to use either at will it is pretty certain that he will avail himself of the opportunity and not overtax himself climbing steep hills with a high gear.

Rust will come in the best regulated cycle establishment. The following is a good way of removing it. First grease it well, let it stand for a day or two, then rub it briskly with a cloth moistened with ammonia. If this does not quite remove it, wash carefully with a weak solution of hydrochloric acid, drying thoroughly with a cloth, and polish with a soft leather, being very careful to remove all traces of the acid from the metal.

Some time ago the League of American Wheelmen set its ban on races for women and the racing board has not swerved from that path. The recent performance at Madison Square Garden in New York was discountenanced by the press and public and illustrated that competition among female bicycle riders is not an edifying spectacle and does not elevate the sport. Some move will undoubtedly be made at the National Assembly for the future suppression of such performances.

Electricity will prove an important factor in the construction of the bicycle in a few years. The current that has revolutionized light will be employed in turning wheels some day and it is even now being put to a practical use in the bicycle lamp. Inventors have been busy evolving the electric bicycle lamp and they have been successful. Now the rider will do away with his oil lamp for the electric lamp has supplanted it. It is such a simple contrivance that its benefits can readily be measured.

Of the records Johnson made in '94 but one remains. During the season when Johnson started his record smashing at Chillicothe, O., for E. C. Storns & Co., he reduced every mark up to five miles and was the undisputed champion of the year. But new ideas in the construction of the bicycle, improved tracks and more thorough pacemakers have effected a remarkable change in the record table of the present date. When Johnson rode an unpaced quarter mile from a standing start in 28 seconds it approximated any feat on the wheel for the year and has stood to this day without a parallel. Dozens of riders have attempted to lower it since '94 and none have succeeded. The record does not sound very big but it was a great effort at the time and will live as a triumph until some stronger and speedier rider lowers it.

ARRANGED THEIR SCHEDULE.

The Wheelmen's Baseball Nine Ready to Play.

The Inter Cycle Baseball League which includes nines from the leading cycling clubs on both sides of the bay, has arranged a schedule of games for the season.

There are eight clubs in the league and each club will play seven games during the season. The games are to begin March 1st, the second date is March 15th, after which there is an interval until April 12th, owing to the annual relay taking place on April 5th, after which there will be a game every two weeks. The place of each game is left to the selection of the captains of the various clubs who are to arrange the same in connection with joint runs.

The following is the schedule as arranged:

March 1st—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Alameda Cyclers, California Cycling Club vs. Diamond Cycling Club; Garden City Cyclers vs. Olympic Cyclers; Imperial Cycling Club vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen.

March 15th—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Olympic Cyclers; California Cycling Club vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen; Garden City Cyclers vs. Alameda Cyclers; Imperial Cycling Club vs. Diamond Cycling Club.

April 12th—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Diamond Cycling Club; California Cycling Club vs. Alameda Cyclers; Garden City Cyclers vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen; Imperial Cycling Club vs. Olympic Cyclers.

April 26th—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen; California Cycling Club vs. Olympic Cyclers; Garden City Cyclers vs. Diamond Cycling Club, Imperial Cycling Club vs. Alameda Cyclers.

May 10th—California Cycling Club vs. Acme Club Wheelmen; Garden City Cyclers vs. Imperial Cycling Club; Olympic Club Wheelmen vs. Alameda Cyclers; Diamond Cycling Club vs. Olympic Cyclers.

May 24th—Imperial Cycling Club vs. Acme Club Wheelmen; Garden City Cyclers vs. California Cycling Club, Olympic Cyclers vs. Alameda Cyclers; Olympic Club Wheelmen vs. Diamond Cycling Club.

June 7th—Acme Club Wheelmen vs. Garden City Cyclers; Imperial Cycling Club vs. California Cycling Club; Alameda Cyclers vs. Diamond Cycling Club, Olympic Cyclers vs. Olympic Club Wheelmen.

Every player must be an amateur. That is he must be a wheelman in Class A. No member of any nine will be eligible unless he shall have belonged to one of the clubs represented before January 25th. The league promises to be one of the biggest successes of the year in amateur sports.

DUCK SHOOTING ENDING.

The Sportsmen's Season Drawing to a Close.

The open season for ducks and quails will close Saturday, February 15th. The marshes have become covered with fresh water by the recent overflows from the rivers and sport is on the wane. The season along the Alameda marshes from San Lorenzo south is about ended. Few hunters are making any big bags. The largest last Sunday was five. The same reports are made from Sonoma and the upper end of the bay.

ENCINAL YACHT CLUB.

Successful Opening of Their New Quarters.

The members of the Encinal Yacht Club of Alameda celebrated the opening of their new quarters last Friday evening with a reception and dance. The event was entirely informal. A large number of the members and their friends enjoyed the evening.

HOMING PIGEONS RACE.

First-Class Time Made by an Alameda Bird.

One of the most interesting events in the sporting line was the 100 mile carrier pigeon race on Sunday last from Marysville to San Francisco and Alameda. Five pigeons started from Marysville and the best time was 3 hours and 37 minutes. T. W. Leydecker's pigeon of Alameda was the winner and its owner secures the gold medal and cash prize offered by the Alameda Poultry and Pigeon Association.

CHANGED THE COURSE.

The Relay Finish Is Now Located in Alameda.

The Associated Cycling Clubs, under whose auspices the annual 100 mile relay race is run over the San Francisco, San Jose and Oakland course, has made some changes in the route that will direct the riders on the finish to Alameda instead of East Oakland as heretofore. The relay course has been changed so that the finish will be at Morton street on the Encinal. The racers will turn at High street and go thence to Central avenue. The change has been made in order that the hill climbing near the East Oakland finish may be avoided.

REGATTA FOR ROWERS.

University Men Are Preparing for Spring.

The University Boating Association is making arrangements for a regatta to be held in April. Captain W. E. Cole says the programme includes a number of single and double races, besides class contests. A silver cup for the winner of the latter is proposed.

The fire which destroyed the association boat house on Sessions basin and likewise burned all the boats, did not discourage the members in the least. They set to work to rebuild and have now a new house well fitted, but not quite so commodious as the old one. Two single sculls of latest improved pattern have been purchased and another four oared scull will be procured.

HIGH SCHOOL PRACTICE.

Baseball Is Now the Topic of Interest.

The High School boys under Captain Lynch held their first baseball practice yesterday. Baseball will be an important factor in athletics this term. In it, as in football, the Oakland High School lads have seldom if ever tasted defeat. Ed Lynch is a worker. He has some good material to handle and should turn out an invincible team.

On Saturday the low and high Seniors will play a match game at Twelfth and Madison streets. Class competition runs high and a close game is expected. The Y. M. C. A. has kindly offered its benches now in Mills Tabernacle for the accommodation of visitors. Consequently the boys are looking forward to having their contest witnessed by some of the fair sex.

Joe Rosborough is captain of the High and Ed Lynch of the Low Seniors. Among Rosborough's men are Dorety, Shucy, McClymonds, Harry Chickering, Cloud, Brook, Numma. The low seniors will be represented by the following: Ed Lynch, Olney, Lloyd, Creed, Hoffman, Green, Shorkley and others.

The Santa Cruz football team has published that it could not get a game with the Oakland High School and that in consequence the latter team had no right to the Academic championship. They sent a challenge to the Oakland school in January. As the Oakland team disbanded last term and many of its players left school it was not thought advisable to meet the Santa Cruz eleven until next season. A letter explaining the situation and asking for an athletic contest, has been sent to the sea side city. As the Santa Cruz lads have always played fair it is thought that they will accept the situation and also the challenge.

THE WIND FAILED.

A Postponement of the Oakland Navy Race.

The second race of the Oakland Navy, that took place on the estuary last Sunday was not sailed. The boats got away under a fresh breeze at 1:30 P. M. but had covered only a third of the course when the wind failed and none of the boats could make the distance within the required two hours. The following boats were entered for the race: Mirth, white class cruiser, Amelia, class racer; Hurricane, red class cruiser, Bert, red class cruiser, Nautilus, red class cruiser; Annie, red class cruiser, Codla, red class racer; Sophia, red class racer; Brownie, red class racer.

The race was declared off and was postponed until February 16th at 2 P. M.

BASEBALL PRACTICE.

Y. M. C. A. Players Are Getting Into Form.

A number of baseball players turned out last Saturday to the first practice of the Y. M. C. A. Ed Lynch in behalf of the association obtained permission from the Merritt estate to use the lot on Twelfth and Madison streets. There is but one stipulation. No one must be allowed to play there on Sundays.

The proposition of leasing the lot and building a track is discussed. Such a track is needed and all hope that the directors may see their way clear to construct it.

CRESCENT ATHLETES.

They Are About to Entertain Their Lady Friends.

The Crescent Athletic Club of Berkeley will give a "ladies' night" tomorrow evening at the club rooms in Odd Fellows' Hall, Berkeley. The programme will include an athletic exhibition. Musical features both vocal and instrumental will be interspersed. Refreshments will be served and dancing will be in order.

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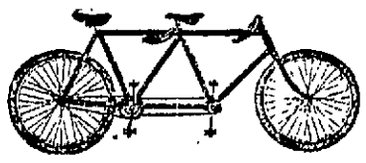

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MANY CHANGES NEEDED.

There Should Be One Open Outlet to East Oakland.

F———, Oakland, Feb. 3, 1896.

Editor Tribune—Sir:

"Many things impossible to thought
Have been by need to full perfection brought."

That is what's the matter with the Twelfth street dam, Mr. Editor. The good street is much needed, and it will be to "perfection brought" by the City Council, who, together with the Mayor, are gallantly standing in with us of the Seventh ward in our fight for better roads. Councilman Buckland desires not only to put Twelfth street in perfect order, but he is also in favor of having the rails of the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company taken entirely from the Twelfth street dam and moved to Eleventh street, where the Alameda Electric Company crosses the estuary. This would give us a clear, unobstructed roadway across the dam, which is just exactly what we are fighting for and expect to get.

Twelfth street is the main and only thoroughfare into Oakland from the eastward. It ought to be cleared of railroad iron and all other obstructions and dedicated to the people's use, to whom it properly belongs, and not given over to a corporation which has no interest in Oakland whatever except to gobble every nickel it can fasten its fingers upon belonging to the long suffering and deluded Oaklander. Why, the car company won't even keep the street in order between and on each side of the tracks, as the law says it shall. The good, smooth safe roadway is the poor man's recreation ground, to ride, drive and walk upon.

We of the Seventh ward have suffered long and patiently, but have awakened at last to our rights and insist upon having them. It is our right to use Twelfth street without danger to life and limb. Surely there is nothing unfair in asking for this much.

The City Council, very justly recognizing the right of the people to the use of the Twelfth street dam, exclusive of railroad tracks, will no doubt proceed at once to regain possession of the street, clear it of obstructions and put it in order for the benefit of the walking and driving public. Moving continually in one groove becomes in time a habit. There is an old saying that "habits are at first a hair, at last a cable." If we of the Seventh ward had commenced our agitation years ago for a good, clear, unobstructed street from Broadway to East Oakland, it would have been done ere this, but we permitted ourselves to go to sleep and finally drifted into the habit of submission to things as they were. The frightful condition of Twelfth street remained with us so long, and we submitted so gently, that at last the pest spot which was at first a hair grew upon us until it became a cable which requires much effort to break. But, with the assistance of the Mayor and Council, we will rupture the cable, even "if it takes all summer to do it."

We of the Seventh have been bottled up so long that it will seem good to be able to get out once more and mingle freely with our fellow citizens of the other wards of Oakland proper. We are enlisted for the war and propose to stay with it to the end and until we have the unobstructed street we ask for. Our ward, the Seventh, is the largest in the city. We poll more votes than other wards. We are the most beautiful part of Oakland. Our women are as handsome and our sons as stalwart as in other wards of our city. Why then should we not be permitted to ask and receive for ourselves equal and exact justice?

The only thing the matter with the Seventh ward is her disreputable and beastly Twelfth street. We of the Seventh ask for nothing more than what we are justly entitled to. I am certain that reasonable people will not say we are requesting too much when we ask for one good, unobstructed roadway clear of car tracks, so that women and children, as well as timid men, can with safety drive in and out of Oakland eastward. We do ask this, as we are entitled to it, and we are satisfied that our City Council, being composed of reasonable men, will grant this our just request and proceed at once to give it full force and effect.

Some timid people say: "Well, the electric car company has possession of Twelfth street; how are you going to oust it?" Easy enough. Where two people enter into a contract with each other to do certain things, and one of the contracting parties fails utterly to carry out a most essential part of his agreement, then the contract becomes void and of no binding force on the other party.

The Haywards and San Leandro Electric Company, when it received its franchise from the city of Oakland to lay down its track and operate its road on Twelfth street, had to enter into the following agreement with the city, and which is the general law of the State governing the granting of all franchises whatsoever to any and all street railroad companies. This law, too, you will observe, is full of protection to the citizen provided the officials do their duty in the premises. Section 498 subdivision 2 of the Civil Code reads as follows, referring to the street railroad companies: "To plank, pave or macadamize the entire length of the street used by their tracks between rails and for two feet on each side thereof, and between the tracks, if there be more than one, and to keep the same constantly in repair, flush with the street and with good crossings."

Does the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company do that? Not at all. Its tracks are six inches above the level of the street the entire length of the Twelfth street dam. Its failure to keep the tracks level with the street is a violation of its contract with the city, and the city has the power and ought to annul the contract made between it and the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company.

"Ah, yes; but how is that to be done?" Easy enough. Section 73 of the charter of the city of Oakland reads as follows: "The board (meaning the Board of Public Works) shall appoint a Superintendent of Streets, whose duty shall be to see that the laws (meaning the general laws of the State), ordinances and regulations relating to public streets and highways be fully carried into execution and the penalties thereof rigidly enforced."

Now, it must have come to the knowledge of the Superintendent of Streets that the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company is violating its contract with the city when it refuses to put Twelfth street dam in order between and on each side of its tracks. What, then, is the duty of the Superintendent of Streets? Why, report the delinquent street car company, with all the detailed facts of its failure to comply with the law, to the City Attorney who, in turn under section 46 of the charter, should at once, under the direction of the City Council, commence suit to annul the franchise of the offending corporation. Prompt action on these lines would very soon bring the arrogant violators of the law to their senses. Here, you see, is an easy and natural way of getting the tracks from off the Twelfth street dam.

I am in favor of having all the street car lines possible coming into Oakland, but I am not in favor of giving up to them all and every street for railroad purposes. The people are entitled to one safe, unobstructed road or street from Broadway to East Oakland, and the Council should and no doubt will give it to us.

After the franchise of the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad has been annulled and set aside by the courts, then the city could grant to it the right of way to run its cars over the trestle built by the Alameda Electric Railroad Company across the estuary at Eleventh street from Oak street to Third avenue. This could be done under section 499 of the Civil Code, relating to the granting of franchises to street railroads, which reads as follows: "Two corporations may be permitted to use the same street, each paying an equal portion for the construction of the track, but in no case must two railroad corporations occupy and use the same street and track for a distance of more than five blocks." Now here is an easy and just solution of the question of the removal of the tracks from the Twelfth street dam. We of the Seventh ward call upon the Superintendent of Streets, the Council and the City Attorney of Oakland to help us in this matter. All they will have to do is to perform their sworn duty.

Have they the moral courage to do it? The merchants, too, of Oakland ought to see that it would be to their interest to have one unobstructed road (wagon road I mean, not railroad) into Oakland from the east. Women are not likely to risk their own lives and those of their children by driving into Oakland to do their shopping, if there is danger of a capsize and runaway by reason of an electric car whizzing past them every few moments. What they will do, however, is this—quietly take a car and go to San Francisco to do their trading. Can the merchants of Oakland blame them for doing so? Many a lady with her little children would delight to drive her horse and buggy into our city to do her buying could it be done with safety. Can she do it in justice to herself and children? Not at all. Therefore, merchants of Oakland, especially the Board of Trade, help us get this good safe wagon road (not railroad) over the Twelfth street dam into Oakland from the eastward. Call a meeting of your organization, and consider the matter, and after having done so, petition to your Council to clear off Twelfth street from all railroad tracks and have it put in perfect condition for driving upon. This is the only way for you gentlemen to regain the lost traffic from the east side. We desire to trade with you, but cannot reach you, by reason of the more than beastly condition of the only street leading from East Oakland into Oakland proper. We are bottled up.

It seems to me that the whole question has resolved itself down to just this: "Is the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Railroad Company greater than the Seventh ward? Which is of the most consequence to the city of Oakland? If the electric railroad is, then we had better cut ourselves loose and go back into the old organization known as "Brooklyn." We were taxed less, were happier and had better streets under the old regime.

We propose to keep up the fight for a good roadway into East Oakland across the dam until we are recognized and get that road. And if any man or set of men stand in our way, we will try and convert them.

It is somewhat of a surprise to us of the Seventh ward that the Tribune is the only paper which takes any interest in us and has a good word in favor of the street improvement we are asking for. What is the matter with the Times and the Enquirer? Have they no interest in the Seventh ward? I hope this neglect on their part is not intentional. We are a very large spot in Oakland, gentlemen, and are worthy of your consideration. Kindly take a whiff of the oxygen that is now flying about, brighten up your ideas and say a good—aye, many good words for us of the Seventh ward. He who is not for us is against us.

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Father and Son Set Free at Asheville, N. C.

Little Charley Fogleman Used Tobacco Since Babyhood, and His Father Smoked and Chewed for the Past Twenty Years.

"Is that true?" asked the News' man at Pelham's Pharmacy, as he laid down a letter in the presence of a dozen interested customers.

"Yes, it is," promptly answered the proprietor. "It was written here on one of our letterheads, and signed by J. C. Fogleman, who lives at No. 5 Buxton street. We all know he is a man of his word."

"I am glad to hear it. You will agree with me that it is almost too good to be true. This is what the letter said:

Office of Pelham's Pharmacy, 21 Patton avenue, Asheville, N. C., September 12, 1894.—Gentlemen: My little boy, now 8 years, began chewing tobacco when 3 years old by the advice of our family physician, in the place of stronger stimulants. Four or five weeks ago I began giving him No-To-Bac, which I bought at Pelham's Pharmacy, and to my great surprise, and it is needless to say, my delight, No-To-Bac completely cured him. He does not seem to care for tobacco, and is very much improved in health, eats heartily and has a much better color.

"Finding such remarkable results from the use of No-To-Bac I began myself, and it cured me, after using tobacco, in all its various forms, for a period of twenty years.

"I take pleasure in making this plain statement of facts for the benefit of others.

(Signed) J. C. FOGLEMAN."

"What's that?" asked Chief of Police Hawkins, whose manly form attired in the new police uniform, like Solomon in all his glory, came to the door.

"Why, No-To-Bac cures!"

"Cures?" Why, I should say so. I have used it myself. It cured me."

"Would you object to making a statement of the fact for publication?"

"Certainly not," and the Chief wrote as follows.

"Asheville, N. C., Sept. 25, 1894.—Pelham's Pharmacy—I bought one box of No-To-Bac from you some time since. After using No-To-Bac I found I had lost the desire for tobacco. I was cured.

"I have used tobacco—chiefly chewing—for eight (8) or ten (10) years.

"H. S. HAWKINS."

Everybody looked astonished and wondered what would next turn up.

"Suppose it don't cure?" someone asked.

"Then you get your money back," replied the druggist. "No-To-Bac is made by The Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago, Montreal and New York, and as sterling in character as in name. By them every druggist in America is authorized to sell No-To-Bac under an absolute guarantee to cure or money refunded. They always do the square thing. Here, read their famous booklet, 'Don't Tobacco Spit and Spit.'"

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Harold L. Martin and his young bride returned yesterday from their honeymoon to San Jose.

Mrs. J. C. Scott of San Diego with her son Harold, contemplates a visit to this city and San Francisco.

Rev. M. Willett of East Oakland returned from a visit to Santa Cruz yesterday morning. Mr. Willett used to be a pastor in Santa Cruz and last Sunday occupied his old pulpit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Grassell of Alameda left today for Portland, Oregon, where Mr. Grassel intends to go into business. Their sons Fred and C. F., both well known in this city, will remain at their present residence.

Alfred Kane of San Francisco has purchased a lot in Golden Gate, where he will build a handsome residence.

Rev. Edwards Davis has recovered sufficiently from his illness to be about again.

Miss L. Stone of Gilroy is the guest of her brother, Contractor Stone of this city.

The Oakland Society Dancing Club will hold its Eighth social dance in the club rooms, College Hall, Twelfth and Harrison streets, this evening.

H. B. Pasmore's lecture on "Singing" at Hamilton Hall last night was largely attended.

Miss Marion Taylor will make her first public appearance since her return from Europe at the Carr-Beel concert to be given next Saturday at Golden Gate Hall. Miss Taylor has undoubted talent, which has been developed by such noted teachers as Madame Marchesi and Georges Matty.

The concert of the Sunday School orchestra, First Congregational church, on Friday evening, promises to be unusually fine. The program will be as follows: Overture, "Semiramide" (a) Romance duo for flute and French horn, Henry M. Fine, A. P. Leach; (b) Manzanillo "Mexican Dance;" soprano solo, (a) "Love in Idleness," (b) "Mandolinata;" fantasies, "Dream Pictures," with zither solo by Miss Josephine Blessing; piano solo, "Capriccio Brillant" with orchestral accompaniment, Miss Bessie M. Channell. Part II—Walther's Preis Lied, "Die Meistersingers;" violin solo played by all the first violins with harp and orchestral accompaniment, cornet solo fantasie, "The Favorite," with orchestral accompaniment, C. W. Crubtree, tenor solo, W. M. Simonsen; march, orchestra and Oakland amateur concert band; soprano solo (a) "Bolero," (b) "The Merry Maidens," Miss Sofia Newland; two dances, from the Suite, "From all Nations," (a) Spanish, (b) Hungarian, orchestra, harp and piano.

Rev. Dr. R. T. Coyle, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, was tendered a reception last evening in the church parlors. The entertainment was to celebrate the sixth anniversary of his pastorate. At 6 o'clock the friends hall adjoining the church was thrown open. Long tables prettily decorated filled the large room. On them was spread a sumptuous banquet to which 500 did justice. During the evening Dr. Coyle was presented with a handsome Morocco arm chair, from the Pastor's League and Pastors' Aid Society. He accepted the present with a neat address in which he thanked his congregation for their kindness.

Miss Gretchen Burnett at last Sunday's exercises in St. Paul's Episcopal church in the absence of the vested choir, sang "O Rest in the Lord," from "Elijah," with much sweetness and effect. The singing was by request and displayed a voice of so much promise that leading vocal instructors assert she is capable of attaining to much distinction in the lyric world.

Nettie Laymance, leading milliner, 955 Broadway.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

TUESDAY, February 4, 1896.

Jose S. Damos to Antonio V. Ferreira, all int S Montgomery 225 E Summit E 25 x S 100, lot 10, blk I, New Town of Lynn, Q. C. D., $5.

Antonio V. Ferreira to Jose S. Damos, all int S Montgomery 200 E Summit E 25 x S 100, lot 9, blk I, same, Q. C. D., $5.

Frank M. and Mary Donnoran to Felix Marcuse, E Wood 115 N Railroad av N 35 x E 100, ptn lots 35 and 36, blk I, Chapin tct, $10.

Mary and Frank M. Donnovan to same, same, $10.

Mandel Levy to Hannah Levy, W Adeline 144 S Fifth S 27-6 x W 128-3, being lot 34 and ptn lot 33, blk 477, Briggs tract, reserving to Meyer Levy right to use water from well and tank on said premises, $10.

Margaret Craik Wilkie by Bozo Radovich, attorney, to Joan N. G. Hunter, all real and personal property in decree Joan N. G. Hunter vs. Harmon J. Tilden, et al., No. 42,100; all real and personal ppty in estate David Hunter, No. 13,251, grant.

Mary Craik by Ignatz Steinhart and P. N. Lilienthal, attys, to same, same, grant.

Geo. Methven by same attys to same, same, grant.

Ellen Methven Stewart to same, same, grant.

Betsy Webster to same, same, grant.

Jennie Hunter Methven Crichton to same, same, grant.

Denis Donohoe, James Keith Robertson by T. E. K. Cormac and Denis Donohe Jr., to same, same, grant.

Joan N. G. Hunter to Harry and Max Silverstein, S Sixth 125 E Jefferson E 37-6 x S 100, lot 12, blk 52, $10.

L. L. M. and Emily W. Salsbury to A. J. Smithson, lots 61 and 62, Piedmont Villa tract, subj to a mtge for $1022, $10.

Caroline Baldwin to Sherman C. Baldwin, W Morton 225 N Kings av W 150 x N 50, blk 2, Fitch tract, $5000.

Carrie S. Alden by atty to Wm. Rae, lots 42 and 43, blk B, amended map Christiana tract, $350.

Frank and Catherine Loretz to Chas. and Bridget Christensen, lot 3, blk 26, tract B, Berkeley L. & T. I. Association, $10.

Fruitvale Land Co. to Patrick Britt, W Cleveland av 150 N Twelfth N 25 x W 120, blk C, Huntington tract, $190.

Chas. Babb to Elizabeth C. Van Winkle, N Bay av 140.138 NE from E cor Lake Shore av and Bay av NE 125-6 NW 80 SW to beg, being lot 38, ppty of Capitol Hd Assn, $10.

Harriet E. Tharp to Eugene H. Tharp, 10.37 acres, being the same ppty conveyed by Arthur and Mary U. Sumner to first party and recorded in 268 d 337; 2 acres adjoining above and being the same ppty conveyed by J. H. Dorety to first party by deed dated May 13, 1886, and recorded in 305 d 335, gift.

E. H. Tharp to Ernest L. Campbell, 12.37 acres, being same 2 pieces previously described (10.37 acres and 2 acres), $10.

Wm. Frakes to Franz Haera, 1 acre beg at NW cor lands of Rawe on E side Rose av th NW 3.17 chs x NE 3.17 chs, ptn plot 44, Ro El Valle de San Jose, $10.

Eugene Barsac et al, by commr, to G. A. Williams, 10 acres beg at a pt in center line Co. road survey No. 1408, 5 chs E of SW cor plot K, Ro Las Positas, th N 20 chs x E 5 chs, ptn said plot K, $1191.

Forrest S. Rowley to Betsy Meyer SW Nineteenth and Cypress W 122-9 S 52-4½ W 13-3 S 25-4½ E 136 N 104-9, $10.

Betsy Meyer to Edward Arents, same, $10.

Mrs. M. A. March to Jas. Stewart, W Curtis 62-6 S Lydia st S 37-6 x W 100, blk J, Curtis & Williams tract, $10.

Jas. Henderson to Matilda Henderson, NW Twenty-seventh av 75 SW East Tenth st SW 25 x NW 75, blk O, Knowles & Potter sub Kennedy tct, E Pine 56-4 S Taylor S 27 x E 90, blk 695, gift.

Mary J. Veitch, formerly Knowles, to Wm. A. Knowles, all int in Broadway Terrace tract, Q. C. D., $10.

Wm. Sample to Robert D. Sample, lots 19 and 20, blk C, Lincoln Park, subj to mtge for $300, $10.

Wm. and Mary Norman to Gottlob Reinhardt, lots 10 to 13, blk A, Everett tract, $10.

Jas. Henderson to Matilda Henderson, W Willow st 50 N Railroad av N 50-2 x W 100, blk 10, ppty of J. D. Thompson, gift.

Eunice L. Brewster to Mary F. Delaney, NE Grand st and Encinal av E 100 x 5, subj to mtge to German S. & L. Soc'y for $1100, $10.

When tired and thirsty, for rest, a nice bit of lunch and a cool drink, go to Earl & Martin's wine rooms, 467 Tenth street, between Broadway and Washington.

A SHORT SESSION.

Civic Matters Up Before the Board of Public Works.

The Mayor and City Attorney met last night as the Board of Public Works, the city engineer being unavoidably absent.

They accepted the invitation to participate in the Washington birthday parade.

To the committee of the whole, which will meet next Friday night, they sent the following matters:

Robert Schulz' application for landscape gardener for the public parks; the petition of E. Bushnell and others to have the gutters near the blind home bridged over.

The resolution directing the repair of the Kirkham street sewer south of Fifth street was referred to the superintendent of streets.

The bids for furnishing blankets were referred to the committee of the whole.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

A Meeting of the Society for the Furtherance of Humanity.

At the meeting of the Alameda County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals last night, it was reported that 44 cases had been attended to during the month and that ten worthless horses had been killed.

The contribution of $50 from the Oakland Exposition Association was accepted with thanks.

The new badges of the society, consisting of a silver shield on which is engraved a horse's head and the initials of the organization, were distributed among the members, Dr. Wendte receiving the first.

Tradesmen to Move.

The Federation of Trades has decided to move from its present headquarters on Washington street near Eighth where it has been quartered for a long time, but has not yet selected another place.

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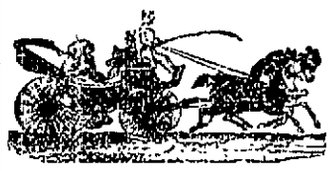

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If He Had Waited Until Today the Clouds Would Be Gone.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—An entire family of six, father, mother, wife and three children, were murdered last night by Richard Klattge, a Lake View carpenter, who completed his work by killing himself.

The dead are: Richard Klattke, carpenter, 38 years old; Kate Klattke, his wife; John Klattke, father, 73; Mina Wilhelmine, mother-in-law, 71; Mina Klattke, daughter, 9; Anna Klattke, daughter, 8; Emma Klattke, daughter, 7.

The members of the Klattke family were found dead early this morning in their little cottage, 207 Berskau avenue, two blocks from the Cuyler station, a suburb of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, by Matthew Brown, a saloonkeeper, who called to secure the services of a carpenter.

Each of the seven corpses had a bullet in the head, the death of all being evidently instantaneous.

Beside the bed, Richard Klattke lay a revolver and empty cartridge shells were scattered about the room.

There is no indication of a struggle on the part of any of the victims.

A heavy odor, which appeared to be that of chloroform, pervaded the house.

From this it was surmised that Richard first chloroformed the entire family and then put a bullet into each.

Everything pointed to a deliberately planned murder by the head of the family and a desire to place himself and his family beyond any further earthly troubles.

Klattke was despondent. His family were cold and hungry.

Since Christmas he had been out of work and ended his troubles just as relief was in sight.

This morning his next door neighbor, Adolph Schmidt, called at the cottage with the joyful news that he had found a job for Klattke.

At the same time Matt Brown arrived on the same errand.

A close examination of the remains showed that one of the victims alone had any warning of her fate.

This was Mrs. Kate Klattke, wife of the murderer.

She, it appeared, struggled with her husband before the fatal shot was fired.

Her hands were scratched and her clothing torn.

She had evidently been overpowered and thrown on the bed beside the dead body of her little seven-year-old daughter Emma.

AN ABLE OFFICIAL.

A. G. Gurnett Now the President of the Stock Exchange Board.

There is much satisfaction in financial circles over the election of A. G. Gurnett as president of the San Francisco Stock Exchange Board. He is one of the most able men in the Exchange, of which he has been a member for about twenty years and is recognized in all quarters as a man of sound judgment, executive ability and broad ideas. He is eminently suited for the presidency of the board, as he is a free lance on the floor and is therefore at all times able to act as his judgment dictates. He is ambitious, aggressive and progressive and the influence of his ability will not be long in asserting itself on 'Change.

His selection of the committees has been very judicious and the different bodies are in the hands of men well qualified for the responsibility awaiting them. A new committee called "the Gold Mining Committee" has been established and will be an important factor in the work of the board. Under the new president there is a very prosperous outlook for the Exchange.

SPECULATING IN SUGAR.

Large Boats Being Fitted Up in the New York Yards.

It Was Thought at One Time They Were to Aid the Rebels.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—According to rumors in Cuban and Spanish circles, the Neptuno, now in dry-dock at Perth Amboy, N. J., the Narino, which is being transformed into a gunboat in the shipyards, and other steamers which have been mentioned in connection with expeditions to Cuba, are not being fitted out by the Cubans' Junta at all, but by New York sugar merchants.

Several months ago the rumor was spread that a syndicate had furnished $500,000 to help Gomez in burning plantations for the purpose of creating a boom in sugar.

It is now said that H. S. Rubens, counsel for the Cuban party, is in Washington lobying not only for the Junta, but for the sugar people as well.

The rumored plan is a clever one.

It appears that it contemplates building vessels so well equipped that they could capture the ports of Cuba. Of course this work will be done in connection with the Junta.

It would take a large fleet to carry out the plans, as the Spanish government has now over fifty ships to protect the different ports of the island.

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PLAYS OF HIGH DEGREE.

Louis James to Follow "In Old Kentucky" Tomorrow.

The Oakland's Circus Production is a Gigantic Success.

There will be one more performance of "In Old Kentucky." Last night's house at the Macdonough was a repetition of that of Monday night. There was standing room only to be had down stairs, while

the gallery and balcony were packed to overflowing.

LOUIS JAMES.

Louis James will play a round of Shakespearean plays at the McDonough theater for three nights and a matinee commencing Thursday, February 6th.

The opening bill will be "Hamlet," and "Macbeth" and "Othello" will follow on Friday and Saturday nights in the order named. A special matinee of "Romeo and Juliet" will be given on Saturday with Mr. James as Mercutio.

"Hamlet" has proved a very strong card in Mr. James' repertoire and he is acknowledged to have no peer in the character on the American stage. The veteran Californian playwright, William Greer Harrison, whose "Runneymede" has been for the past year running in the East in the repertoire of a prominent tragedian, after witnessing a performance which Mr. James recently gave at the California wrote him the following which explains itself.

San Francisco Saturday Night.

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A TRIP TO THE CIRCUS.

The Oakland is giving its patrons a genuine novelty this week in a "Trip to the Circus." It is really two big performances in one. The vaudeville features incidental to the circus scene are highly enjoyed.

Professor Alexander.

Professor Alexander who gives a series of lectures at Hamilton Hall next week comes from Salt Lake City. Both in that city and in Denver and Omaha the papers speak very highly of him. The Omaha Bee says tersely, "We defy any dollar show to interest an audience better than Professor Alexander."

AS OTHERS SEE US.

For the past two weeks burglaries in Oakland and Alameda have been very numerous. In Alameda there were no less than nine during one night, and they were committed while two policemen were patroling (or supposed to be) in front of the very stores that were being burglarized. In Oakland Saturday night five burglaries were committed in the same manner and probably by the same men who burglarized Alameda so successfully. It does not seem reasonable to suppose that the police of either Oakland or Alameda are very alert when burglary can be committed under their very noses in such a wholesale manner.

This is the time of year when tramps and cracksmen emigrate from the Eastern cities on account of the cold weather, and in California they find a good field for their criminal operations. Our people are not as careful about fastening up their residences and places of business, and our police are more sociable, or, in other words, they are not exclusive enough at night to patrol their beats alone, but must join each other and keep up a lively conversation in order to keep burglars and other prowlers aware of their presence.—Berkeley Gazette.

There is a big war on in the camp of the Populists down in Oakland. A short time ago Mayor Davie was ruled out of the party because it was thought he had not done just the square thing in the distribution of patronage, and now a movement is on foot to oust him from office on the ground that he violated the Purity of Elections laws by making promises before the election.—Napa Journal.

Politics are waxing warm in Oakland and from present appearances the Oakland delegation will be pretty well split up. There are numerous candidates for each office, and more are materializing each day so that no candidate will have a walkover. The districts outside of Oakland are bound to have recognition, and with so many candidates in Oakland, and split delegations the outside districts will stand a very good show of getting what they want. All that is necessary for Berkeley and Oakland township to do is to decide upon the persons they want and then stand solidly with them throughout the convention. Other sections outside of the county will then assist Oakland township in return for its assistance in nominations that they want for their section. Now is the time for our candidates to make themselves known.—Berkeley Gazette.

Twenty-four Chinese gamblers arrested on one day is Chief of Police Lloyd's record in Oakland.—Haywards Mail.

A Revengeful Girl.

Agnes Burnett, aged 16 years, attempted to poison her grandparents, who reside at 1208 Railway avenue, Alameda, a few nights ago. She had been reproved by the old people, and, by way of being revenged, put rat poison in the tea which she served to them. Mr. and Mrs. Burnett became sick. They called in a doctor and he succeeded in relieving them of the poison they had partaken of. The old people have forgiven the girl.

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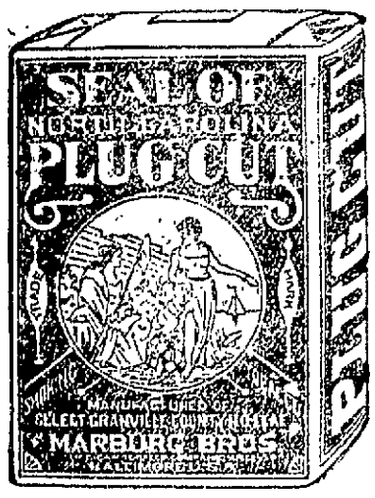

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Students Disappointed at the Action of the Co-eds.

The Project Is Abandoned on Account of Its Expense.

NO DOUGHNUTS IN SIGHT.

ROAD WORK SOON STARTS.

The Wood-Choppers Rapidly Removing the Big Trees.

BERKELEY, Feb. 4.—The co-eds will not serve luncheon to the perspiring student laborers. It was so decided yesterday at a meeting in Stiles hall presided over by Millicent W. Shinn. Undergraduates, graduate students and alumnae were present, and the majority of them concluded the boys could leave the campus long enough to get their luncheon without seriously interfering with the progress of the work.

The time of the meeting was pleasantly spent passing motions and then reconsidering and voting them down. The alumnae wanted it, but the co-eds now in college didn't, so everything was debated and everybody had a motion.

The expense bounded from $100 up to $300, and after a while the motions were focused on the question of expense. It was the sense of the meeting that $100 could be put to a more substantial and lasting use than in buying provender for several hundred hungry students. Various suggestions as to what the money would buy besides a luncheon were made and proved to be quite a factor in deciding the motion finally presented.

Much disappointment is felt among the students over the decision. The majority of them were looking forward to it with great pleasure. The "Berkelevan" heartily supported the idea and had a hopeful editorial entitled "He Who Works Must Eat," but now all hopes have been dashed to the ground.

WHEN WORK BEGINS

Not many days more will elapse before the students begin their labor. The wood-choppers have about finished their task, and have removed several large fir trees from the line of the path. The students are consequently anticipating some word from Regent Reinstein every day regarding the exact date of the work. The Regents' bulletin board will be eagerly scanned until a notice appears. All that now remains to be done is to chop down one or two large oaks and the way is clear for the path.

CARNOT DEBATE.

The Carnot debate between the Universities of California and Stanford will be held on Friday evening in Stiles hall. The men who are to represent California are still studying hard and reading widely in French political works. The debaters are compelled this year to become thoroughly conversant with both sides of the question, as they will not be given a choice of sides beforehand. The object of this is to cultivate the faculty of spontaneity, which is foremost in Eastern institutions. California is more than usually confident, and a great crowd of her followers will attend Friday night.

THE LICENSE COMMITTEE.

The special license committee met in the Town Hall Monday night to confer with the merchants and teamsters who are affected by the license imposed upon teams, and signed a protest against it. Nothing definite was decided, but the committee will be able to report intelligently at the next meeting of the Trustees. What the merchants wanted was an equalization and reduction of the tax, and although the Trustees think it just the way it now stands, they will probably concede what is asked for.

SCARLET FEVER.

A scarlet fever scare has been started in Berkeley, but owing to the prompt action of Health Officer Rowell, nothing serious is expected. He was apprised of a case of scarlet fever in the family of Mr. Middlehoff, and quarantined the premises. To prevent its spreading in the Whittier school, Dr. Rowell telephoned the principal to send him all children suffering from sore throat. His office was full of them in the afternoon, and they will not be allowed to return to school until perfectly well.

ROBBERY AT THE TANNERY.

Sneak thieves entered the tannery at the west end, and while the men were engaged in work, and made off with a suit of clothes. They proved a little better than a new suit of clothes, as $5 was in one of the pockets.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

Nominations for football manager were made today. The election will be held on Friday from 11 A. M. to 4 P. M.

The ladies of the faculty entertained the students at Stiles hall this afternoon. Quite a large number of students attended and enjoyed the opportunity of meeting the faculty socially.

The football eleven will meet Saturday and elect a captain. The candidates are Sherman and Ransom. It is difficult to say who stands the best chance.

Professor Le Conte lectured before the Academy of Science last Monday evening on James Dwight Dana, the eminent scientist who died last April.

The West Berkeley Progressive club meets tonight.

Col. Greenleaf's lecture arranged by Rev. E. B. Payne for Friday night has been postponed to make way for the Carnot debate.

The Crescent Athletic club is making great preparations for the ladies' night to be held tomorrow evening. A fine programme of boxing, wrestling and tumbling has been arranged.

The Board of Education is considering plans for a two-room addition to the Lorin school.

Laboratory students are objecting to a new regulation of the faculty appropriating surplus deposits for High school visitors to the laboratories. The deposits amounting from $12 50 to $20 are made to cover the actual cost of materials used in experiments, and heretofore the balance has been returned to depositors. Some students have had $6 or $7 returned to them at the end of a course, and they feel it an imposition to be in future deprived of their rebates.

OCEAN STEAMERS.

Dates of Departure From San Francisco.

Homer, Coos Bay, Feb. 6, 5 P. M.
Rio Janeiro, China and Japan, Feb. 6, 3 P. M.
Mariposa, Sydney, Feb. 6, 2 P. M.
Santa Rosa, San Diego, Feb. 7, 11 A. M.
Corona, Humboldt Bay, Feb. 7, 2 P. M.
Acapulco, Panama, Feb. 8, 12 M.
Arcata, Coos Bay, Feb. 8, 10 A. M.
Columbia, Portland, Feb. 8, 10 A. M.
St. Paul, Newport, Feb. 9, 9 A. M.
Farallon, Yaquina Bay, Feb. 9, 5 P. M.
Walla Walla, Victoria, etc., Feb. 9, 9 A. M.
Coos Bay, Mexico, Feb. 10, 10 A. M.
Mexico, San Diego, Feb. 11, 11 A. M.
State of California, Portland, Feb. 13, 10 A. M.

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Arago, Coos Bay, Feb. 7.
Arcata, Coos Bay, Feb. 7.
Zealandia, Panama, Feb. 8.
Gaelic, China and Japan, Feb. 8.
Farallon, Yaquina Bay, Feb. 8.
Australia, Honolulu, Feb. 8.
Mexico, San Diego, Feb. 9.
South Coast, Portland, Feb. 9.
San Benito, Tacoma, Feb. 9.
San Juan, Panama, Feb. 10.
Umatilla, Victoria, Feb. 10.
State of California, Portland, Feb. 10.
Alice Blanchard, Portland, Feb. 10.
Costa Rica, Departure Bay, Feb. 10.
Crescent City, Crescent City, Feb. 11.
Eureka, Newport, Feb. 11.
North Fork, Humboldt Bay, Feb. 11.

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TUESDAY, February 4.

Str Willamette, Cushman, 2 days from Departure Bay; 2000 tons coal to Oregon Improvement Company.

Str Westport, Peterson, 60 hours from Hueneme, 3000 sacks barley, 700 sacks wheat, 4 cases eggs, to Field & Stone.

Str Al Ki, Patterson, 60 hours from Astoria, mdse, etc., to Goodall, Perkins & Company.

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Ship Dashing Wave, Morehouse, 13 days from Tacoma, lumber and laths to Hanson & Co.

Ship Columbia, Nelson, 11 days from Seattle, 2270 tons coal to T. B. Cornwall.

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Br str Wellington, Salmond, Nanaimo.

Str George Loomis, Bridgett, Ventura.

Str Mackinaw, Littlefield, Tacoma.

Str Gipsy, Leland, Santa Cruz.

Str Whitesboro, Johnson.

Str Jewel, Madsen, Caspar.

Bark Wilna, Slater, Nanaimo.

TELEGRAPHIC.

POINT LOBOS, February 4, 10 P. M.—Weather clear, wind NW; velocity 16 miles.

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NEW YORK—Arrived Feb. 4, Fulda from Genoa and Naples.

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Secretary Tuolumne Mill & Mining Co.
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NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the East Oakland Street Railroad Company will be held on Tuesday, February 4th, 1896, at No. 468 Ninth street, Oakland, Cal., at the hour of 3:30 o'clock P. M., for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing term.

W. P. MELVIN,
Secretary East Oakland Street R. R. Co.

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NOTICE OF SALE UNDER JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

ELIZABETH A. RODGERS, substituted as plaintiff in place of W. F. GOAD and A. W. FOSTER, as the executors of the last will of ALEXANDER MONTGOMERY, deceased, Plaintiff, vs. JOHN AYLWARD, MICH MULLANY, JOSEPH WATERMAN, W. H. WRIGHT, HIRAM BAILEY, and BANK OF LIVERMORE, a corporation, Defendants. No. 5536 Dept. No. 1

Under and by virtue of a writ issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, on the 1st day of February, 1896, in an action wherein Elizabeth A. Rodgers, substituted as plaintiff in place of W. F. Goad and A. W. Foster, as the executors of the last will of Alexander Montgomery, deceased, was plaintiff, and John Aylward, Mich Mullany, Joseph Waterman, W. H. Wright, Hiram Bailey and Bank of Livermore, a corporation, were defendants, and wherein the said plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against the defendants, on the 30th day of January, 1896, for the sum of $5336 60-100 in Gold Coin of the United States of America, and the further sum of $200, as attorney and counsel fees, and the further sum of $23 50-100 costs, with interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum on all of said amounts from date of said judgment, which said judgment was on the 30th day of January, 1896, recorded in Judgment Book No. 19, of the said Court, at page 196, I am commanded to sell in one parcel the following described lands and premises and property, to-wit:

All the said John Aylward's interest, claim, demand and property of, in and to the waters of the Creek known as Mocho, in Murray Township, County of Alameda, State of California, and all easements, rights of way, dams, ditches, reservoirs, pipes, flumes, gates, faucets, connections and appurtenances used in appropriating said waters or in conducting the same to the Town of Livermore, in said Township, or elsewhere.

And also all the water, water rights, pipes, flumes, lands, rights of way, and property of every description owned or used by the said defendant, John Aylward, in, belonging to, or in connection with, his water works in the Town of Livermore, and in or in connection with or belonging to the Las Positas Springs and Creek, in said Murray Township, and also all the lands and improvements which the said defendant John Aylward owns on the elevated grounds around or in proximity to the reservoirs and in appropriating said waters of Las Positas Springs and Creek, and which said property is more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

First.—A water right to the waters of the Las Positas Springs and Creek situate in the part of the Rancho Las Positas now or late belonging to Robert Livermore.

Second.—One-half acre of land about the said Springs and about Five Hundred and Twenty (520) feet to the east of the point where said Las Positas Creek passes over the line dividing the lands of Livermore from those of Amerecochea.

Third.—A flume together with the right of way therefor passing over the lands now or late of Devamore Aurrecochea, Alvisa Pacheco and Avila to the tract of land hereinafter described.

Fourth.—A certain tract of land in said Murray Township seven (7) acres in extent, in which is situate certain reservoirs and a boiler, pump and engine, which land is bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—Commencing at a stake on the easterly line of the County Road running northerly from said Town of Livermore and known as Road Survey No. 1548, and at the northwest corner of a tract of land containing about 2 acres, conveyed by Mariano Avila and Charlotte, his wife, to George Patter; running thence along said easterly line of said County Road north 3¼ degrees west four hundred and thirty-five (435) feet to a stake, thence at right angles north 86¼ degrees east seven hundred (700) feet to a stake, thence at right angles south 3¼ degrees east four hundred and thirty-five (435) feet to a stake at the northeast corner of said tract of land conveyed to said George Patter; thence south 86¼ degrees west along the northerly line of said tract, seven hundred (700) feet to the point of commencement.

Fifth.—A certain line of pipe with the right of way therefor running from the tract of land last above described to and through the streets of the Town of Livermore.

Sixth.—A water right to the waters of the Arroyo Mocho from a point in the same at or about where said Arroyo Mocho crosses the line between sections five and eight, and at or a few yards east of the line between Sections seven (7) and eight (8), all of said sections being in Township four (4) south, of Range three (3) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Seventh.—The right of way over and the right to the waters of said Arroyo Mocho flowing over section six (6) in Township four (4) south, of Range three (3) east, Section one (1), in Township four (4) south, of Range two (2) east, Sections 36, 25 and 26, in Township three (3) south, of Range two (2) east, all of Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Eighth.—A water right to the waters of Arroyo Mocho from a point in the same where the flume herein minutely described takes water therefrom.

Ninth.—A flume together with the right of way therefor passing over Sections 26, 23 and 22 in Township three (3) south, of Range two (2) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Tenth.—The northeasterly one acre of the southeast quarter (S. E. ¼) of Section 22, in Township three (3) south, of Range 2 east Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Eleventh.—A certain line of pipe, with the right of way therefor, running from the tract last above described over Section twenty-two (22), in Township three (3) south, of Range two (2) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian and over the highway running along the northeast side of the Rancho El Valle de San Jose to and through the streets of the Town of Livermore. Also improvements consisting of water pipes, gas pipes, hydrants, etc.

Together with all and singular the tenements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Public notice is hereby given that on

THURSDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1896,

At 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, State of California, I will, in obedience to said writ and judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property to the highest bidder for Gold Coin of the United States.

W. S. HARLOW,
Commissioner.

Dated, Oakland, February 1, 1896.
Rodgers & Paterson, attorneys for plaintiff.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ESTATE OF JOHN W. COLEMAN, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Julia M. Coleman, administratrix of the estate of John W. Coleman, deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Julia M. Coleman, administratrix, at her residence, Number 751 Eighth Street, Oakland, Alameda County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the County of Alameda, State of California.

JULIA M. COLEMAN,
Administratrix of the Estate of John W. Coleman, deceased.

Dated at Oakland, Jan. 29th, 1896.
John Garber, attorney for administratrix, 532 Market street, S. F.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ESTATE OF PAULINA SCHUBERT, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Paulina Schubert, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the office of Frederick E. Whitney, rooms 7 and 8, 906 Broadway, Oakland, Calif., which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Paulina Schubert, deceased.

WILLIAM H. KNIGHT,
Administrator of the estate of Paulina Schubert, deceased.

Dated Oakland, January 29th, 1896.
Frederick E. Whitney, attorney for administrator.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day, (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice of Hearing Before the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda of a Petition of A. P. Newbert and Others, for the Purpose of Regulating and Controlling the Charges for Water and Compensation to be Collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies in the County of Alameda, State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on the 9th day of March, 1896, at the Board rooms of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, City of Oakland, of said County, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day or as soon thereafter as the same can be heard, the petition of A. P. Newbert and others for the purpose of regulating and controlling the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies, for the County of Alameda, will be duly heard and considered by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda.

Said petition reads as follows:

PETITION FOR REDUCTION OF WATER RATES.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County:—

The petition of the undersigned respectfully shows and represents:

That the Council of the City of Oakland acting under the power conferred on them by law, have materially reduced the charge for the use of water supplied to the public by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies and that the new rates made by the said City Council are based upon the entire plant of said Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies and upon their entire revenue and are not confined to their expenditures and revenue arising solely within the corporate limits of the City of Oakland;

That therefore rates which will yield a lawful revenue within the said City of Oakland will also yield a lawful revenue when made applicable outside said limits;

That your petitioners are inhabitants of, and taxpayers of this County of Alameda, State of California, and reside outside the corporate limits of any City or Town in said County, and further represent that said petitioners are water-rate payers.

WHEREFORE the undersigned do hereby most respectfully petition your Honorable Board (acting under the powers conferred by law for the regulation of charges for the use of water as laid down by "An act to regulate and control the sale, rental and distribution of appropriated water in this State, other than in any City, City and County, or Town therein, etc." Approved March 12, 1885, regulate and reduce the rates lawfully to be charged by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies for the use of water in the territory within your jurisdiction outside the corporate limits of the City of Oakland as will make them uniform with such lawful rates as were recently enacted to apply within the corporate limits of the City of Oakland;

And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

A. P. Newbert, Elmhurst.
G. W. Sommers, Elmhurst.
G. E. Meffale, Elmhurst.
George H. Butzbach, Elmhurst.
Thomas Prest, Elmhurst.
Ed Hoerst, Elmhurst.
Manuel Edwards, Elmhurst.
Mrs. R. M. Smith, Elmhurst.
W. C. Spiegel, Elmhurst.
O. O. Fox, Elmhurst.
Edward De Groot, Elmhurst.
E. Page, Elmhurst.
Wm. Dollenbough, Elmhurst.
M. Thurner, Elmhurst.
Wm. J. Keating, Elmhurst.
H. C. Brown, Elmhurst.
Chas Meyer, Elmhurst.
W. V. Monfort Elmhurst.
Newton Gray, Elmhurst.
Mrs. M. Allison, Elmhurst.
Mrs. G. Simonsen, Elmhurst.
Edw. N. Moor, Elmhurst.
H. Meyer, Elmhurst.
H. T. Hayes, Elmhurst
William Warrilow, Elmhurst.
George L. Brown, Elmhurst.
H. Young, Elmhurst.
J. T. T. Chatel, Elmhurst.
Wm. Johnson, Fitchburg.
P. Parsson, Elmhurst.
James Barracks, Fitchburg.
Frank Miller, Fitchburg.
C. P. Murphy, Fitchburg.
J. F. Gonsalves, Fitchburg.
John Whalen, Fitchburg.
Daniel Lowell, Fitchburg.
C. Clement, Fitchburg.
E. F. Gibbs, Fitchburg.
J. P. Condon, Fitchburg.
C. J. Mendonsa, Fitchburg.
A. T. Newth, Fitchburg.
M. Stone, Elmhurst.
J. N. Hitchcock, Elmhurst.
A. Jones, Elmhurst.
W. W. Kelleran, Elmhurst.
D. H. Babbitt, Elmhurst.
M. E. Allen, Elmhurst.
H. W. Whipple, Elmhurst.
Chas. Harrison, Fruitvale.
H. Hansen, Fruitvale.
Mary E. Werner, Fruitvale.
E. Gates, Fruitvale

Said notice above set forth is made to notify all such persons, companies, associations and corporations mentioned in said petition and all persons interested in the matters of such petition and notice of the hearing of said petition of A. P. Newbert and others for the purpose of regulating and controlling the charges for water and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies in the said County of Alameda.

By order of the Board of Supervisors.

(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California.

Dated, February 3, 1896.

LEGAL.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

PACIFIC COAST SAVINGS SOCIETY, (a corporation), Plaintiff, vs. DUNCAN ANDERSON, ET AL., Defendants. No. 11,562

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1896, in the above entitled action wherein Pacific Coast Savings Society, (a corporation) the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Duncan Anderson, Agnes Anderson, Thomas Patrick Hogan, John Joseph Hagen and Hugh Hogan, co-partners doing business under the firm style of the Humboldt Lumber Company, defendants, on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1896, for the sum of eleven hundred and thirty-two and 08-100 dollars in United States gold coin, besides interest, costs and counsel fees, which said decree was on the 8th day of January, A. D. 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 11 of said Court, at page 110, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in Oakland township, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the northern line of McKee street, distant thereon one hundred and thirty-eight (138) feet four inches easterly from the eastern line of Baker street; running thence easterly along the said line of McKee street fifty (50) feet; thence northerly parallel with Baker street one hundred and thirty-four (134) feet; thence westerly parallel with McKee street fifty (50) feet; and thence southerly parallel with Baker street one hundred and thirty-four (134) feet to the place of beginning. Being a portion of lots Nos. 3, 4 and 5, in block marked "U" as the said lots are delineated and so designated on the plat entitled "Amended map of the J. W. Crawford Tract, Oakland Township," etc., filed on January 6th, 1886, in the County Recorder's office of said Alameda county.

Public notice is hereby given that on

Thursday, the 6th Day of February, A. D. 1896,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, January 30, 1896.

W. S. HARLOW,
A commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

Vincent Neale, attorney for plaintiff, Mills Building, San Francisco.

SCHOOL BONDS FOR SALE.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California, made October 28th, 1895, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the treasurer of said county at the Hall of Records of said county, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock noon, on the 1st day of February, 1896, for the purchase of three bonds of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each of Newark School District of Alameda County; at which said time said proposals will be opened and said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash in United States gold coin, subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth. Said bonds were issued by said Board of Supervisors under and in accordance with the provisions of Section 1880 to 1888, both inclusive, of the Political Code, and in conformity with an order of the Board of Supervisors of said county passed October 28, 1895, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, interest payable on the first day of February of each year, out of and from the Building Fund of said Newark School District upon presentation and surrender to the treasurer of said county of the interest coupons.

Said bonds are to be numbered consecutively one to three inclusive and are to mature as follows, to wit:

Bond numbered One, one year from date.

Bond numbered Two, two years from date.

Bond numbered Three, three years from date.

Bids will be received for one or any larger number of said bonds up to three. All bids must be equal in amount to the par value of the bonds bid for and accompanied by a certified check or cash deposit in the sum of at least 10 per cent. of the amount of the bid, payable to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Newark School District of Alameda County. The said check or deposit will be returned in case of rejection of the bid, and be forfeited to the Board of Trustees if the bidder neglects to pay for the bond or bonds he bids for within five days after notice of the acceptance of the bid.

Upon the opening of said proposals said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidders for cash in United States gold coin subject to the above provisions.

All bids or proposals are to be addressed to the "Board of Trustees, Newark School District, care O. M. Sanford, Treasurer of Alameda County," and endorsed "Proposals for Bonds."

F. FALK,
JULIUS WILDERMUTH,
C. G. HEALY, Clerk.
Trustees Newark School District, Alameda County, California.
Dated December 28, 1895.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary Letford, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary Letford, deceased, and for the issuance to James Letford of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 10th day of February, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, January 24, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Snook & Church, attorneys for petitioner.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of James McPeake, deceased.

No. 4624.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of James McPeake, deceased, and for the issuance to David McCarron of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 10th day of February, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated January 28, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
J. H. Smith, 467 Broadway, Oakland, attorney for petitioner.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John Willey, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John Willey deceased, and for the issuance to Jane T. Robinson of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 10th day of February, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, January 29th, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Endorsed: Filed Jan. 29th, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.

COULD GET NO WORK.

A Chicago Carpenter Wipes His Family Out of Existence.

DEATH CAME VERY QUIETLY.

Chloroform First Used and Then a Revolver's Bullets.

SUICIDE AS A FINALE.

If He Had Waited Until Today the Clouds Would Be Gone.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—An entire family of six, father, mother, wife and three children, were murdered last night by Richard Klattge, a Lake View carpenter, who completed his work by killing himself.

The dead are: Richard Klattke, carpenter, 38 years old; Kate Klattke, his wife; John Klattke, father, 73; Mina Wilhelmine, mother-in-law, 71; Mina Klattke, daughter, 9; Anna Klattke, daughter, 8; Emma Klattke, daughter, 7.

The members of the Klattke family were found dead early this morning in their little cottage, 207 Berskau avenue, two blocks from the Cuyler station, a suburb of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, by Matthew Brown, a saloonkeeper, who called to secure the services of a carpenter.

Each of the seven corpses had a bullet in the head, the death of all being evidently instantaneous.

Beside the bod. Richard Klattke lay a revolver and empty cartridge shells were scattered about the room.

There is no indication of a struggle on the part of any of the victims.

A heavy odor, which appeared to be that of chloroform, pervaded the house.

From this it was surmised that Richard first chloroformed the entire family and then put a bullet into each.

Everything pointed to a deliberately planned murder by the head of the family and a desire to place himself and his family beyond any further earthly troubles.

Klattke was despondent. His family were cold and hungry.

Since Christmas he had been out of work and ended his troubles just as relief was in sight.

This morning his next door neighbor, Adolph Schmidt, called at the cottage with the joyful news that he had found a job for Klattke.

At the same time Matt Brown arrived on the same errand.

A close examination of the remains showed that one of the victims alone had any warning of her fate.

This was Mrs. Kate Klattke, wife of the murderer.

She, it appeared, struggled with her husband before the fatal shot was fired.

Her hands were scratched and her clothing torn.

She had evidently been overpowered and thrown on the bed beside the dead body of her little seven-year-old daughter Emma.

AN ABLE OFFICIAL.

A. G. Gurnett Now the President of the Stock Exchange Board.

There is much satisfaction in financial circles over the election of A. G. Gurnett as president of the San Francisco Stock Exchange Board. He is one of the most able men in the Exchange, of which he has been a member for about twenty years and is recognized in all quarters as a man of sound judgment, executive ability and broad ideas. He is eminently suited for the presidency of the board, as he is a free lance on the floor and is therefore at all times able to act as his judgment dictates. He is ambitious, aggressive and progressive and the influence of his ability will not be long in asserting itself on 'Change.

His selection of the committees has been very judicious and the different bodies are in the hands of men well qualified for the responsibility awaiting them. A new committee called "the Gold Mining Committee" has been established and will be an important factor in the work of the board. Under the new president there is a very prosperous outlook for the Exchange.

SPECULATING IN SUGAR.

Large Boats Being Fitted Up in the New York Yards.

It Was Thought at One Time They Were to Aid the Rebels.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—According to rumors in Cuban and Spanish circles, the Neptuno, now in dry-dock at Perth Amboy, N. J., the Narino, which is being transformed into a gunboat in the shipyards, and other steamers which have been mentioned in connection with expeditions to Cuba, are not being fitted out by the Cubans' Junta at all, but by New York sugar merchants.

Several months ago the rumor was spread that a syndicate had furnished $500,000 to help Gomez in burning plantations for the purpose of creating a boom in sugar.

It is now said that H. S. Rubens, counsel for the Cuban party, is in Washington lobying not only for the Junta, but for the sugar people as well.

The rumored plan is a clever one.

It appears that it contemplates building vessels so well equipped that they could capture the ports of Cuba. Of course this work will be done in connection with the Junta.

It would take a large fleet to carry out the plans, as the Spanish government has now over fifty ships to protect the different ports of the island.

Coos Bay coal is now delivered by any dealer in Oakland, Alameda or Berkeley at $7 per ton.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Carter's Little Liver Pills.

ONE PILL TO A DOSE.

WHEN to "TAKE IT."
Whenever you feel in the least "out of sorts" and have an indication of a "sort of something coming on, you know," get rid of all the symptoms, and escape sickness by taking a
Carter's Little Liver Pill.

WHERE to "TAKE IT."
No matter whether you are at home or abroad, in the Tropics or the Arctic Regions, you will be kept in perfect health if you only regulate your system with
Carter's Little Liver Pills.

HOW to "TAKE IT."
It comes naturally to take such a small easily swallowed dose as
Carter's Little Liver Pills.

WHY to "TAKE IT."
Because there is nothing nauseous about this medicine to make a fuss about, because it will do you good, and because you want to get rid of that headache by taking a
Carter's Little Liver Pill.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

PLAYS OF HIGH DEGREE.

Louis James to Follow "In Old Kentucky" Tomorrow.

The Oakland's Circus Production Is a Gigantic Success.

There will be one more performance of "In Old Kentucky." Last night's house at the Macdonough was a repetition of that of Monday night. There was standing room only to be had down stairs, while

the gallery and balcony were packed to overflowing.

LOUIS JAMES.

Louis James will play a round of Shakespearean plays at the McDonough theater for three nights and a matinee commencing Thursday, February 6th.

The opening bill will be "Hamlet," and "Macbeth" and "Othello" will follow on Friday and Saturday nights in the order named. A special matinee of "Romeo and Juliet" will be given on Saturday with Mr. James as Mercutio.

"Hamlet" has proved a very strong card in Mr. James' repertoire ,and he is acknowledged to have no peer in the character on the American stage. The veteran Californian playwright, William Greer Harrison, whose "Runnymede" has been for the past year running in the East in the repertoire of a prominent tragedian after witnessing a performance which Mr. James recently gave at the California wrote him the following which explains itself.

San Francisco. Saturday Night.

My Dear James: I have seen all the great "Hamlets" for fifty years, and so

LOUIS JAMES.

can speak. You are right in with the greatest. I am charmed and delighted with your work; it is the very highest form of art.

Go on and take the great prize.

Faithfully,
WILLIAM GREER HARRISON.

A TRIP TO THE CIRCUS.

The Oakland is giving its patrons a genuine novelty this week in a "Trip to the Circus." It is really two big performances in one. The vaudeville features incidental to the circus scene are highly enjoyed.

Professor Alexander.

Professor Alexander who gives a series of lectures at Hamilton Hall next week comes from Salt Lake City. Both in that city and in Denver and Omaha the papers speak very highly of him. The Omaha Bee says tersely: "Wdefy any dollar show to interest an audience better than Professor Alexander."

AS OTHERS SEE US.

For the past two weeks burglaries in Oakland and Alameda have been very numerous. In Alameda there were no less than nine during one night, and they were committed while two policemen were patroling (or supposed to be) in front of the very stores that were being burglarized. In Oakland Saturday night five burglaries were committed in the same manner and probably by the same men who burglarized Alameda so successfully. It does not seem reasonable to suppose that the police of either Oakland or Alameda are very alert when burglary can be committed under their very noses in such a wholesale manner.

This is the time of year when tramps and cracksmen emigrate from the Eastern cities on account of the cold weather, and in California they find a good field for their criminal operations. Our people are not as careful about fastening up their residences and places of business, and our police are more sociable, or, in other words, they are not exclusive enough at night to patrol their beats alone, but must join each other and keep up a lively conversation in order to keep burglars and other prowlers aware of their presence.—Berkeley Gazette.

There is a big war on in the camp of the Populists down in Oakland. A short time ago Mayor Davie was ruled out of the party because it was thought he had not done just the square thing in the distribution of patronage, and now a movement is on foot to oust him from office on the ground that he violated the Purity of Elections laws by making promises before the election.—Napa Journal.

Politics are waxing warm in Oakland and from present appearances the Oakland delegation will be pretty well split up. There are numerous candidates for each office, and more are materializing each day so that no candidate will have a walkover. The districts outside of Oakland are bound to have recognition, and with so many candidates in Oakland, and split delegations the outside districts will stand a very good show of getting what they want. All that is necessary for Berkeley and Oakland township to do is to decide upon the persons they want and then stand solidly with them throughout the convention. Other sections outside of the county will then assist Oakland township in return for its assistance in nominations that they want for their section. Now is the time for our candidates to make themselves known.—Berkeley Gazette.

Twenty-four Chinese gamblers arrested on one day is Chief of Police Lloyd's record in Oakland.—Haywards Mail.

A Revengeful Girl.

Agnes Burnett, aged 16 years, attempted to poison her grandparents, who reside at 1208 Railway avenue, Alameda, a few nights ago. She had been reproved by the old people, and, by way of being revenged, put rat poison in the tea which she served to them. Mr. and Mrs. Burnett became sick. They called in a doctor and he succeeded in relieving them of the poison they had partaken of. The old people have forgiven the girl.

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